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Ina -
Is a real
"nut". Loads
of luck to you in
your future marriage.
Helen (Dunn) Clark
165

Ina,
A real sweet girl
who I have enjoyed (?)
knowing for the
last two years.
Dar Anderson
Dash

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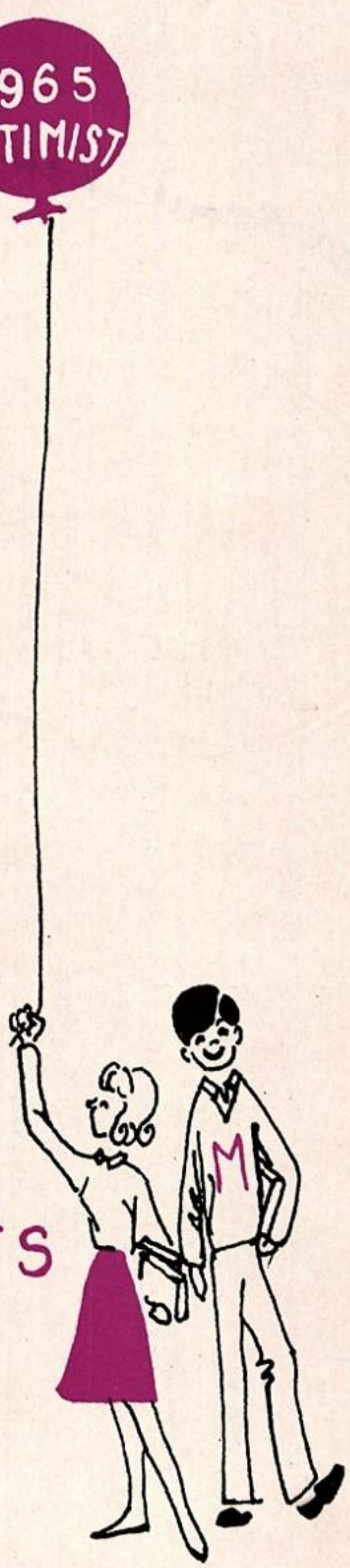
Love
To a real Good
crazy Gal
Luck with your
life
with Bob.
Jan

Middie Moments



MIDDLETOWN HIGH SCHOOL
MIDDLETOWN, OHIO

Middie Moments — slow or fast, they added up to an unforgettable year.

During the course of the school year, we had moments of excitement, indifference, victory, and defeat. However enjoyable or disappointing these were, each and everyone became a memorable part of the Middies, whether faculty or student body. The following pages illustrate some of these moments and those who shared them.

INA:

You know something — you're a nut. Stay that way! I have enjoyed knowing you throughout the years. Don't work too hard. Good luck with that special guy!

Good luck
Cathi Rodefer
1965

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The American Field Service has helped Mike Johnson and Marli Goncalez prove that people are basically the same, regardless of nationality.

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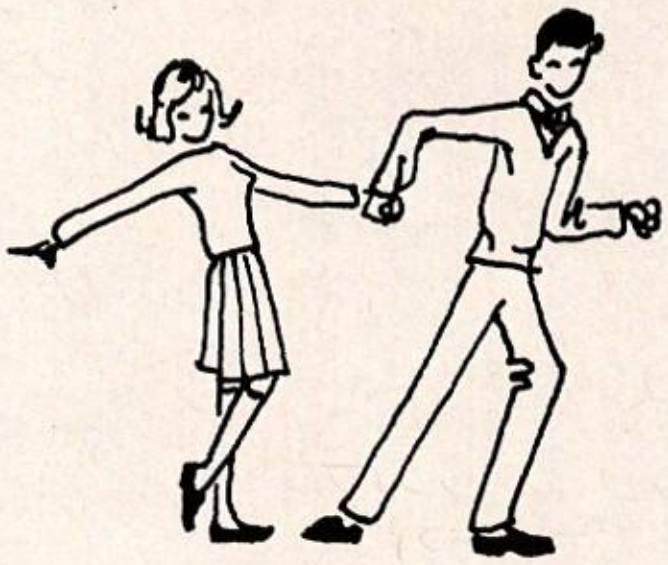


many were spent with friends . . .

In moments of friendship we realize the value of each acquaintance as an essential element in our daily lives. Whether natives of our own neighborhood or visitors from across the sea, everyone has a special place in the Middie world.

The traditional friendship "circle" brings us closer to those at home.

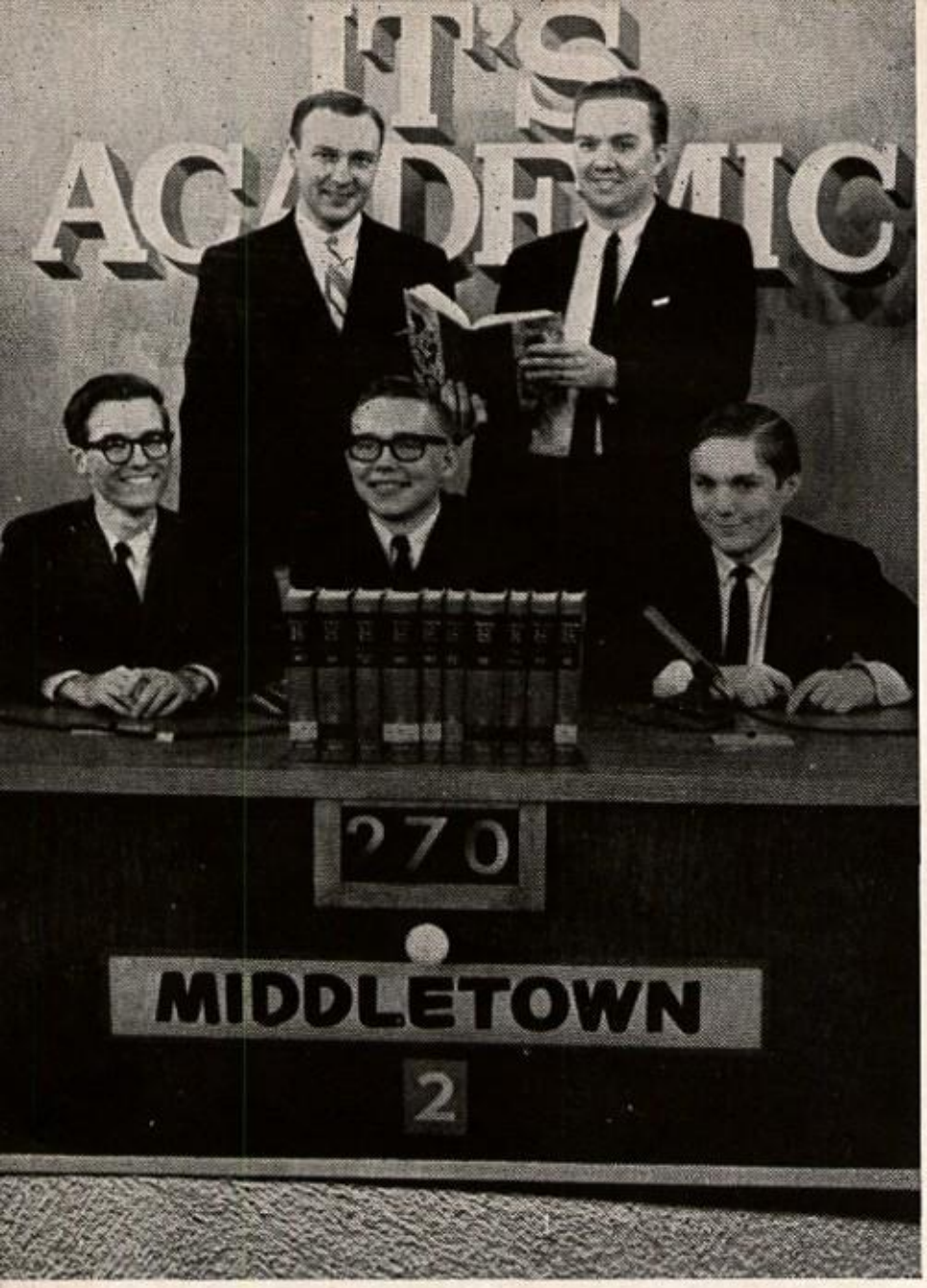
Gary Weikel, Janet Milton, and Dulcy Schueler display the new uniforms which added style to every performance.

Middie Moments

filled with great times . . . fun . . . study . . . play . . . lectures . . . victories

The editors of the *White and Purple* combine manual and mental capabilities to publish a fine magazine.

Hours of practice and clever lyrics make the Rhythm Roundup highly competitive.



Jim Billman, Joe Baker, and James South were chosen to represent our school on IT'S ACADEMIC.

Middie Moments

In moments of scholarship Middies prove that they know all the answers. They set the pace for the well-informed student and uphold high standards for academic leadership. Diligent practice pays off, too, as team members win much deserved commendation and frequent awards.

Jim Barnett, Jerry Carter, James South, and Carol Burdsall compete against top area schools on TEEN SCENE.

intellectual moments when we expressed ourselves...

Books won on IT'S ACADEMIC lend assistance to those who strive for higher learning.

Middie Moments

how they flew as we went from fall

"Let's go fly a kite."

into winter and spring . . .

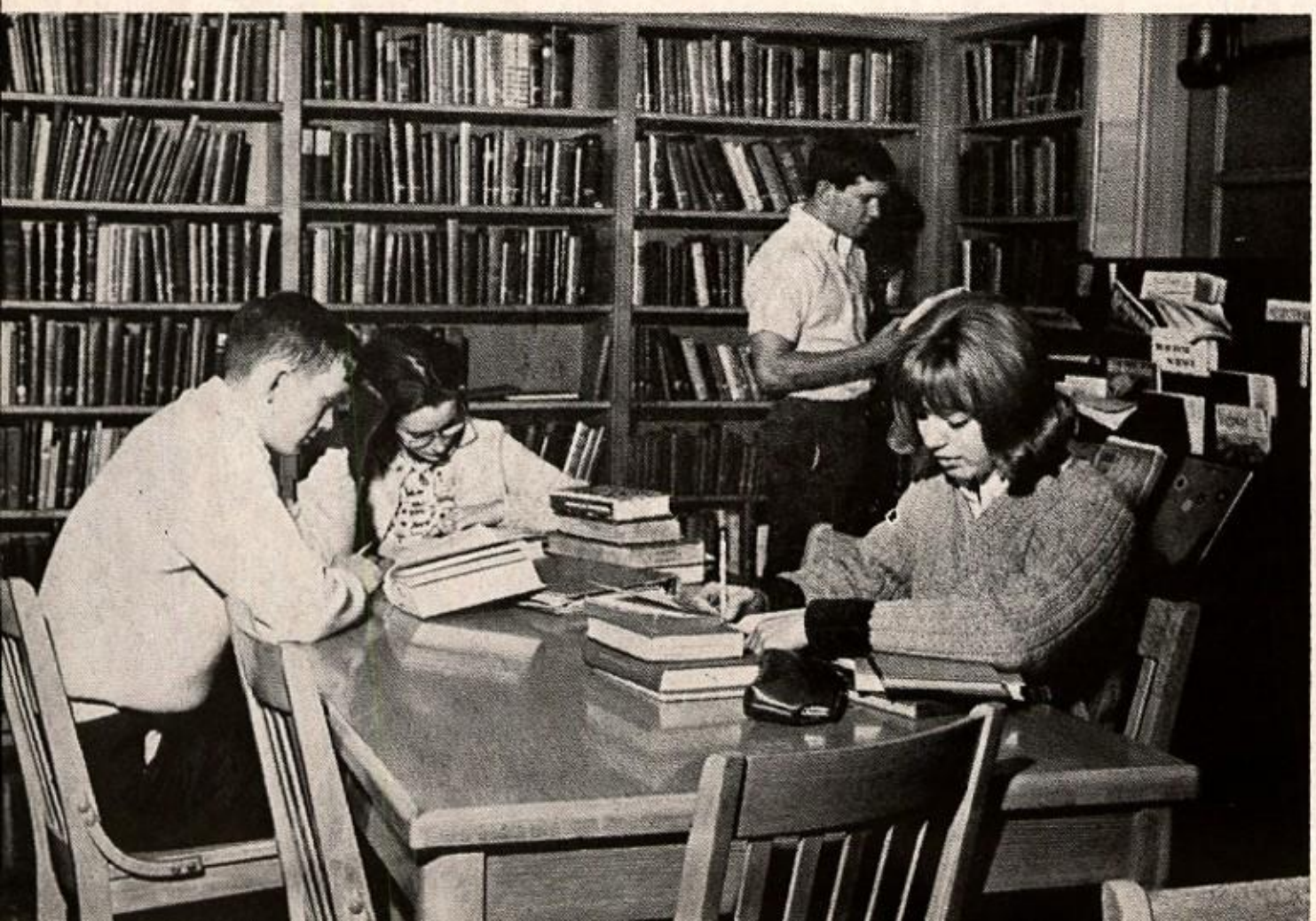
In the fall we had moments of great expectation and determination for the coming year. In winter some of our hopes froze with the icy waters, but with the spring thaw our minds were flooded with fresh ideas and promising aspirations.

The first annual pep rally went up in smoke.

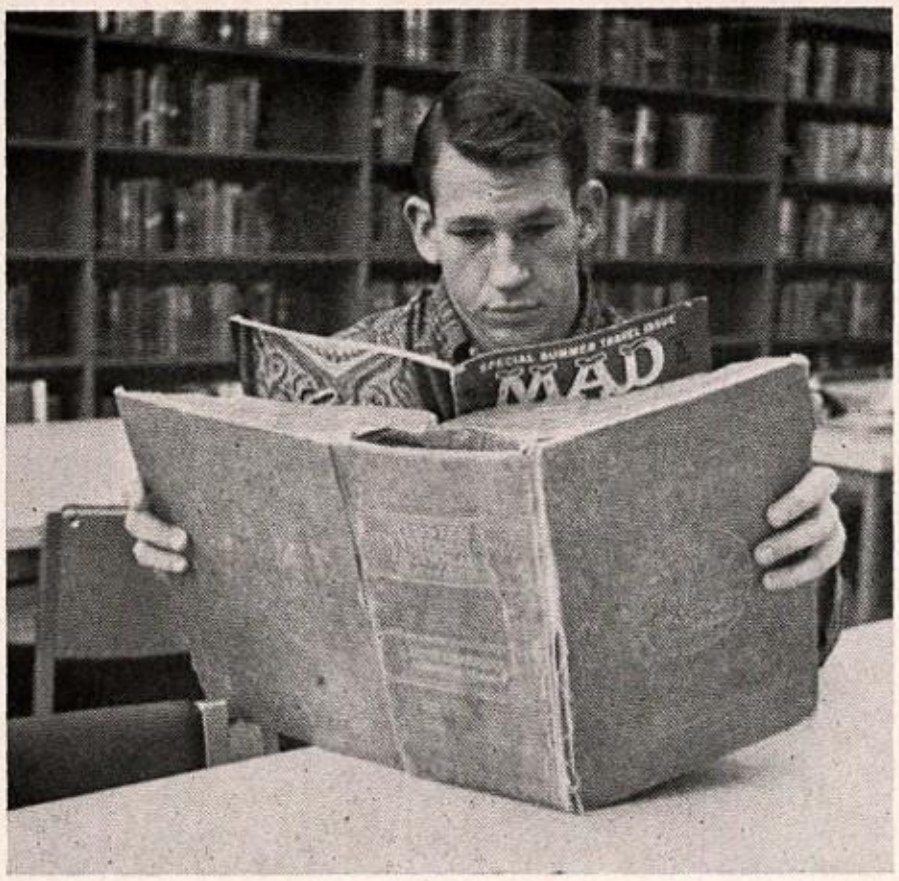
In the spring a young man's fancy turns to "luv."

The tensions of the major staff are taken out in the snow.

Members of Mr. Yocom's Chemistry II class learn through observation and experimentation how to make exact measurements.



The research library furnishes ample materials for the industrious student.



David Ortman checks his references with doubtful attention.

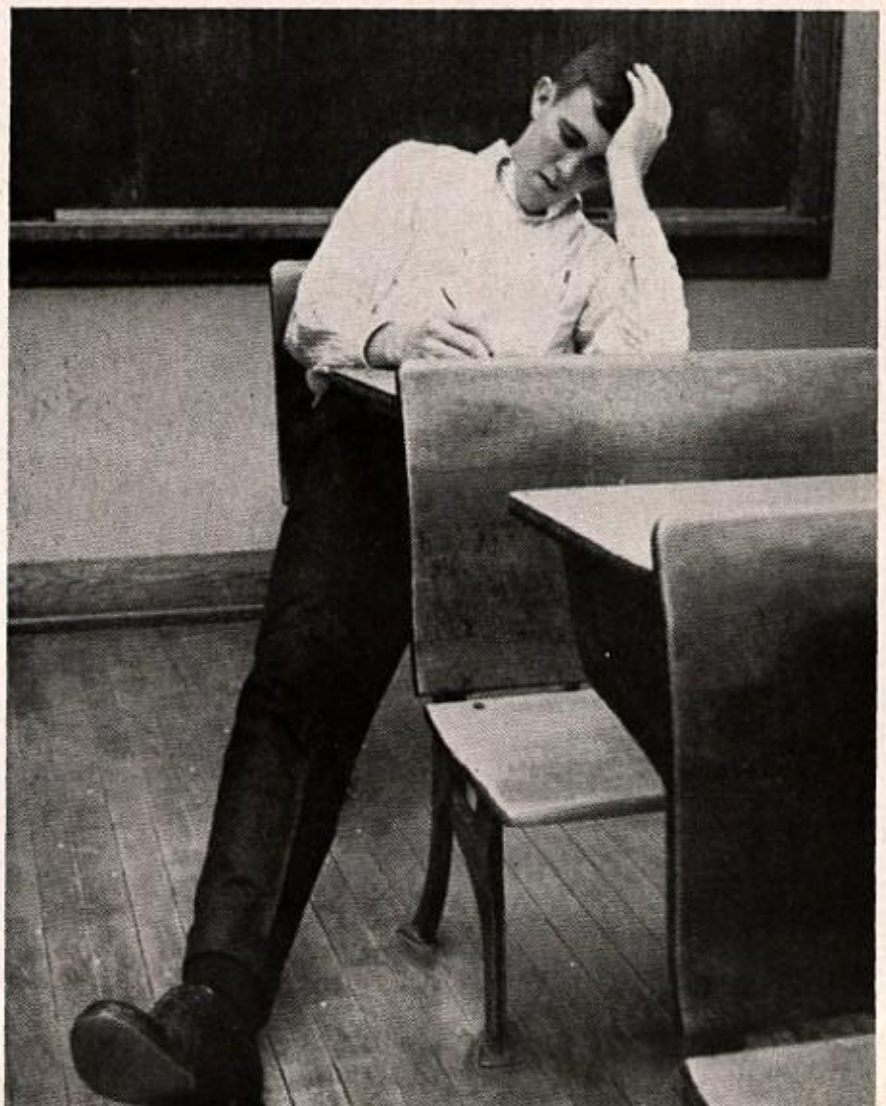
Helen Sarris finds that the reading library presents a peaceful atmosphere.

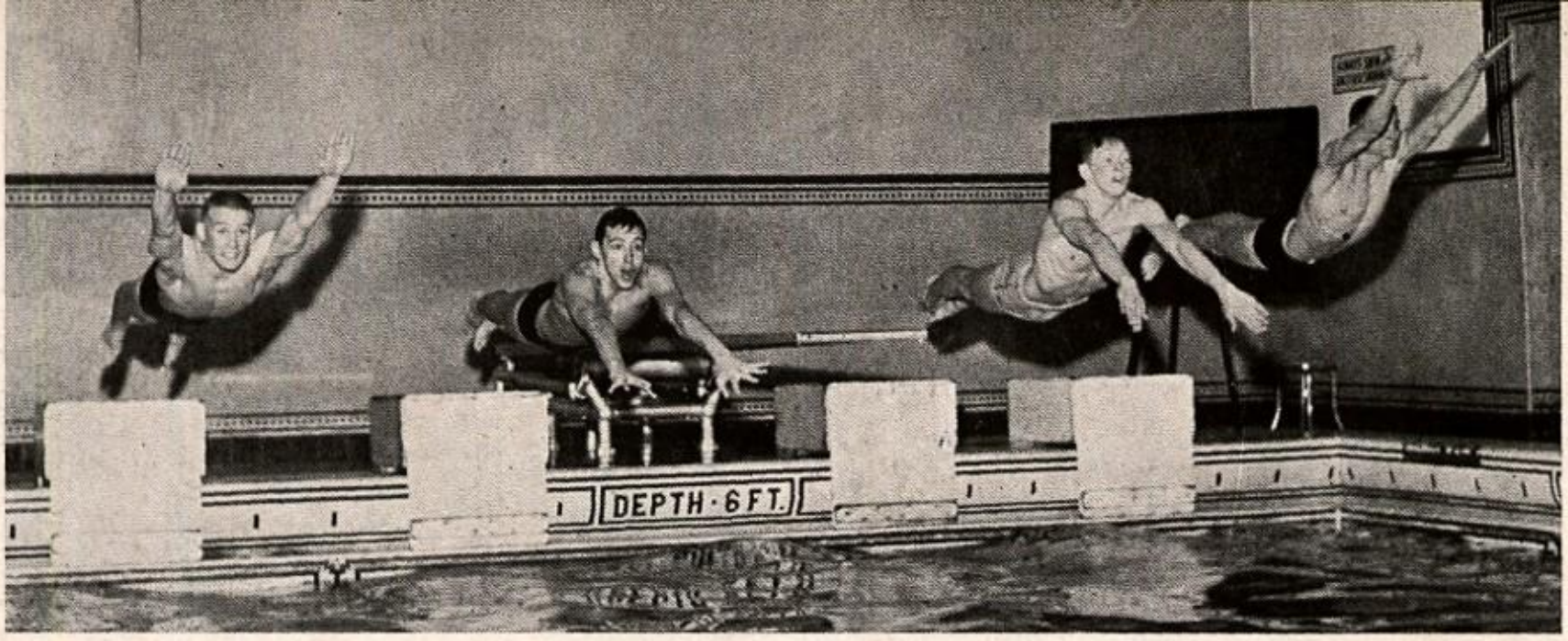
Middie Moments

included academics of course and study . . .

In isolated moments we were able to put aside our extra-curricular activities and turn our attention to study, voluntarily or otherwise. Library and research facilities provided us with the opportunity, while friendly rivalry supplied us with the stimulus. With the right combination of study . . . and more study, Middie seniors have found that passing grades can easily be achieved.

Bob Warnock doesn't believe in getting excited about a tough exam.





Last one in rescues the other three!

Middie Moments

and sports gave us tense, exciting, and

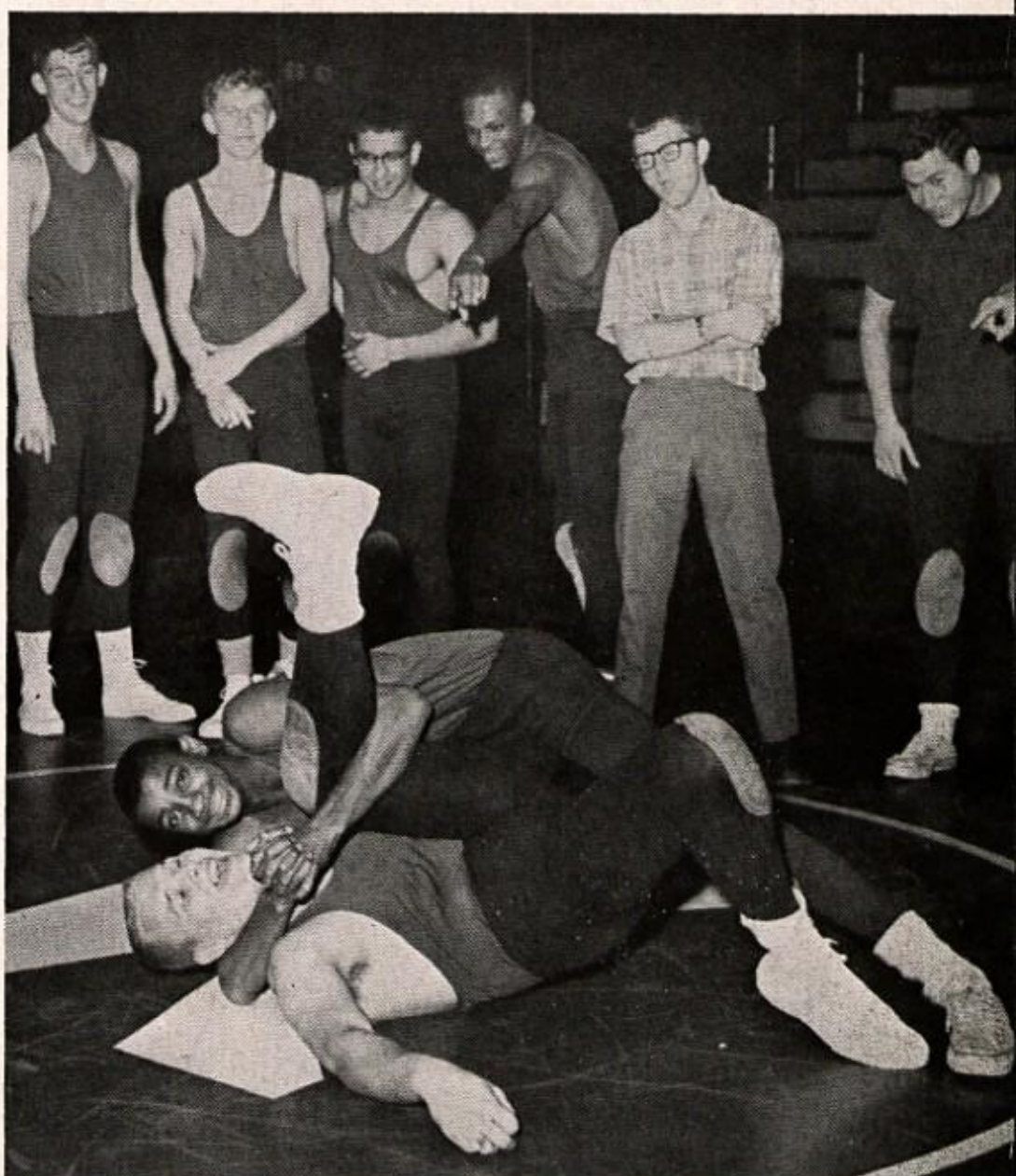
The M CLUB "backs" the Middies all the way.

In competitive moments the Middies always came out on top in sportsmanship. The new M Club helped the hardworking cheerleaders boost the Middie spirit, while seat belts were put to use in some cases to restrain an over-anxious coach. Win or lose, we gathered together to discuss the game over cokes and french fries.

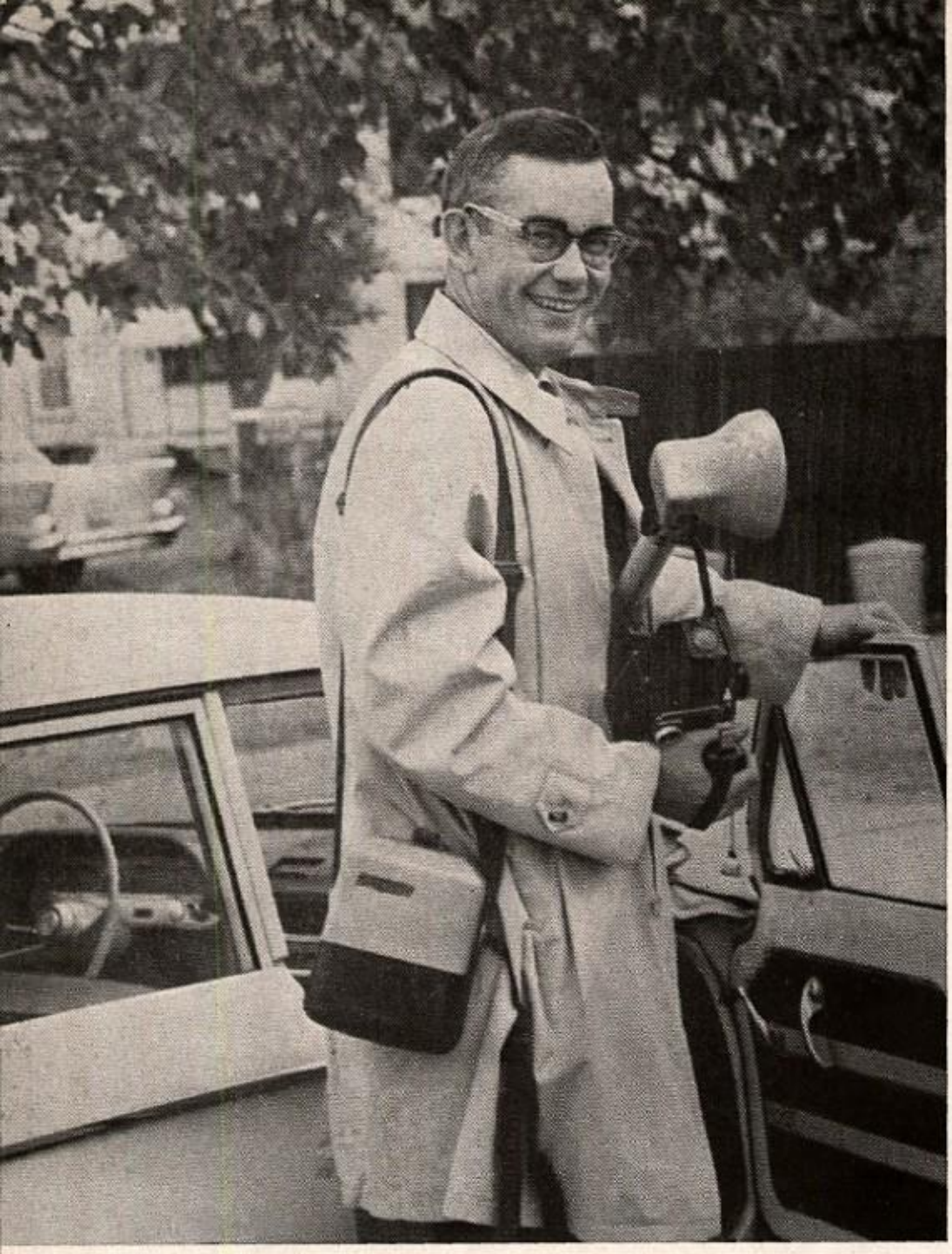
sometimes victorious ones...

Andrea Mittenholzer's expression reflects the enthusiasm of Middie fans during a winning moment.

Gordon Drennen proves to Henny Klaassen that size isn't everything.



Frisch's provides a welcome retreat for hungry teenagers.



Faithful Mac Tobias comes to the rescue at a moment's notice.

Jerry Lucas revisits his Alma Mater for a rousing pep talk.

M

Jim Billman receives his award for superior rating in the Ohio General Scholarship Test as other high ranking students look on.

Middie Moments

In entertaining moments more and better assemblies have been initiated this year and have become more than a mere substitute for a routine class. All facets of school and outside activity have been presented with some students unexpectedly becoming a part of the show.

Buz Hiteshue learns the ups and downs of the trampoline.

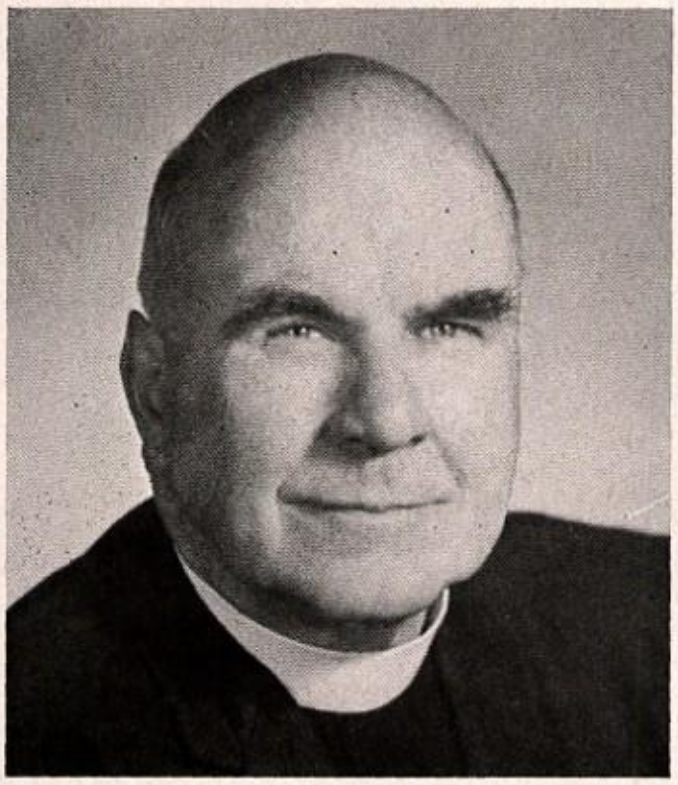
Serious-minded faculty show that cheerleading can be fun.

Sitting at the head table for the Scholastic Banquet are Rick Waxweiler, Karen Schrock, Mr. H. H. Lawrence, Rick Hayes, Ann Agee, Bill Thorn, Libby Sant, Robert Liljestrand, Jenny Boxwell, James Herr, Elaine Dannis, and Patti Fruauff.

Middie Moments

In our final moments at M.H.S. we seniors look back at the past to prepare for the future. The rapid pace of student life has helped to make us ready for the complex adventures of our adult life. An equal quantity of fun and seriousness will comprise the memory of our Alma Mater for years to come.

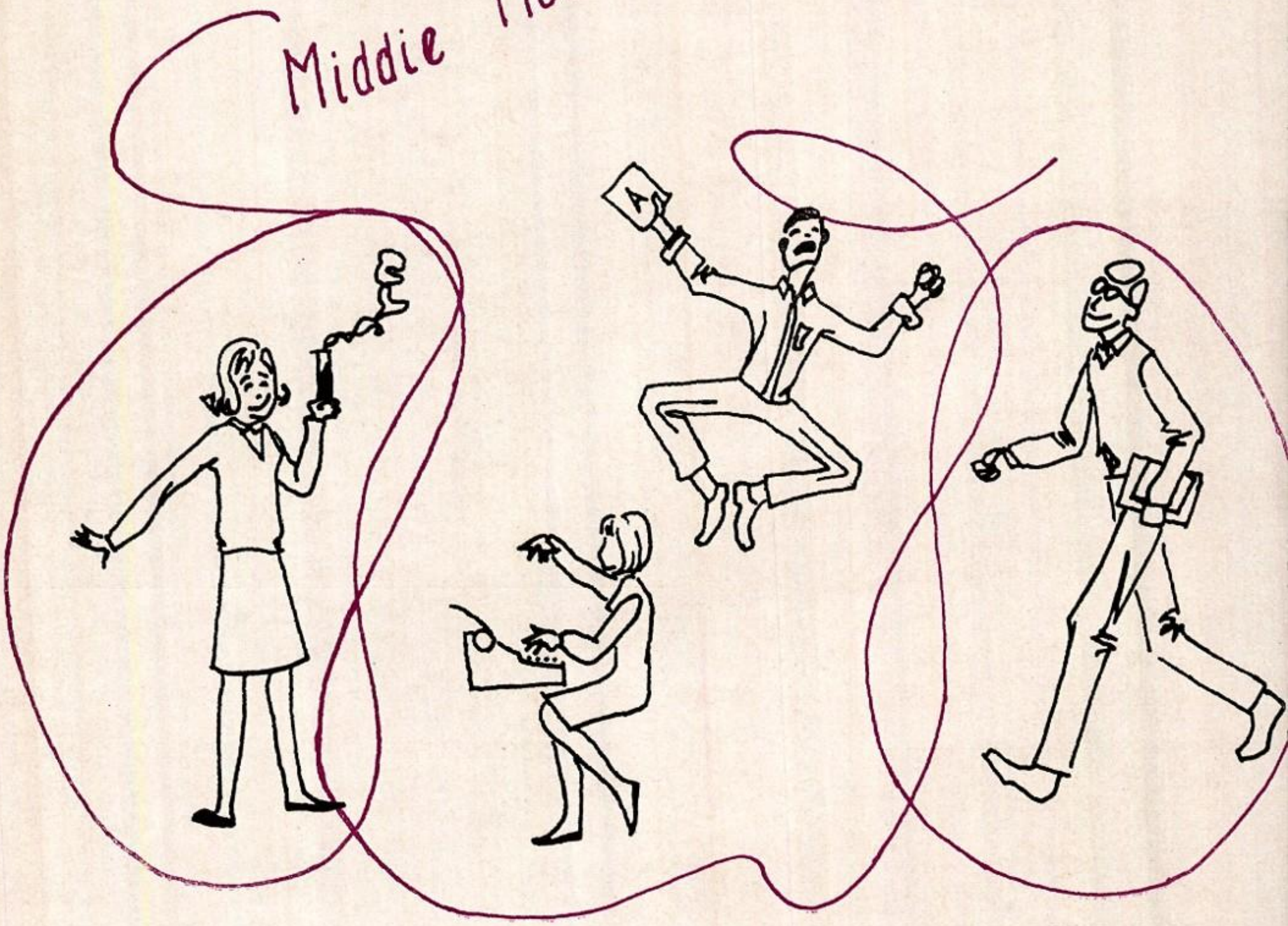
Robert Liljestrand, Cathy Little, Jim Barnett, and Jenny Boxwell find a mortar board and gown reward enough for twelve years work.



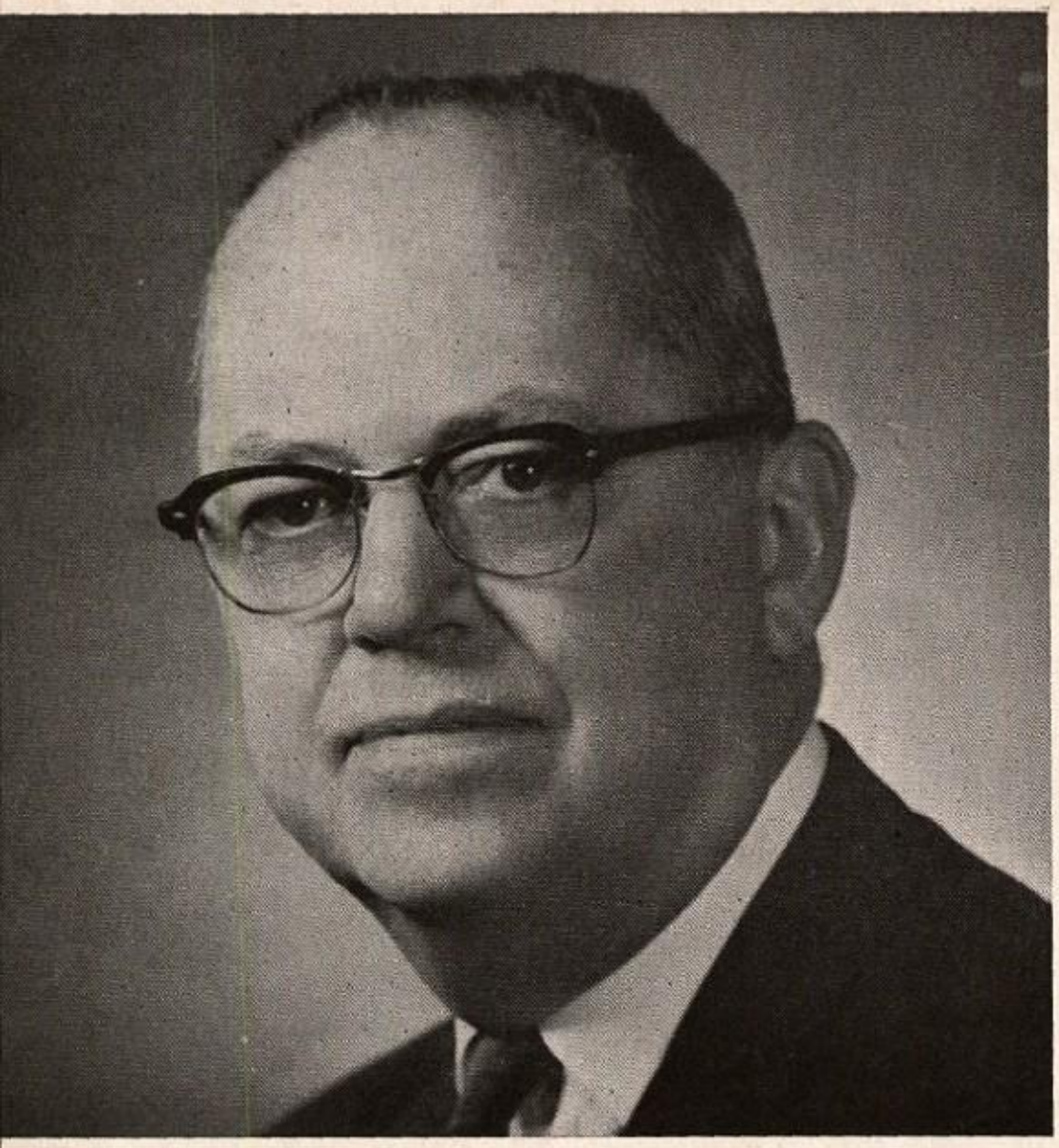
Our Baccalaureate speaker, Bishop Howard, is the author of varied religious literature and president of many fine organizations.

Our Commencement speaker, Mr. Henry Loomis, is the director of the Voice of America.

Middie Moments Are Gratifying



Moments in the Academics at M.H.S.



Superintendent

Superintendent of Schools, Howard R. Cromwell, now in his eighth year, has worked untiringly for the good of our schools. Directly under the Board of Education, Mr. Cromwell works in solving problems, dealing with the increase in school population, lack of room, and the hiring of teachers.

The Board of Education, the governing body of the school system, decides the policy for the schools and administers all money. They evaluate the quality of the school system in comparison with state standards and attempt to establish a well-rounded curriculum for Middletown area students. The Board is responsible for our new schools and equipment. Because of their great amount of work in our behalf, we wish to give them our sincere thanks.

H. R. CROMWELL
B.S., Indiana State Teachers College
M.S., Ohio State University

Board of Education

Board of Education: *Sitting* — Mr. Bob Cordray, Mr. Edward Barker, Mr. Jim Finley, Mrs. Betty Little, Mr. Delbert Mann. *Standing* — Mrs. Susan Fouts, Mr. Howard Cromwell, Mr. Tilmon Ellison.

Principal

Wanted — Young men and women who have applied themselves to a program of education and training to be prepared to serve actively in the on-rushing age of space science, industrial and business competency, and professional perfection. Middletown High School is dedicated to answering this want ad. The students are displaying new desires for self-improvement by more regular, consistent and persistent study and application. Rewards are waiting for all who make the effort sufficiently to be ready. The Class of 1965, largest in Middletown High School history, already has won many rewards; it has made its contribution thus far in helping to set the pace for the underclassmen. Their theme of a "Program of Excellence" has an unlimited future — so that all students will be prepared to answer the want ads.

Herman H. Lawrence

HERMAN H. LAWRENCE
A.B., DePauw University
A.M., University of Pennsylvania

Secretaries at Middletown High

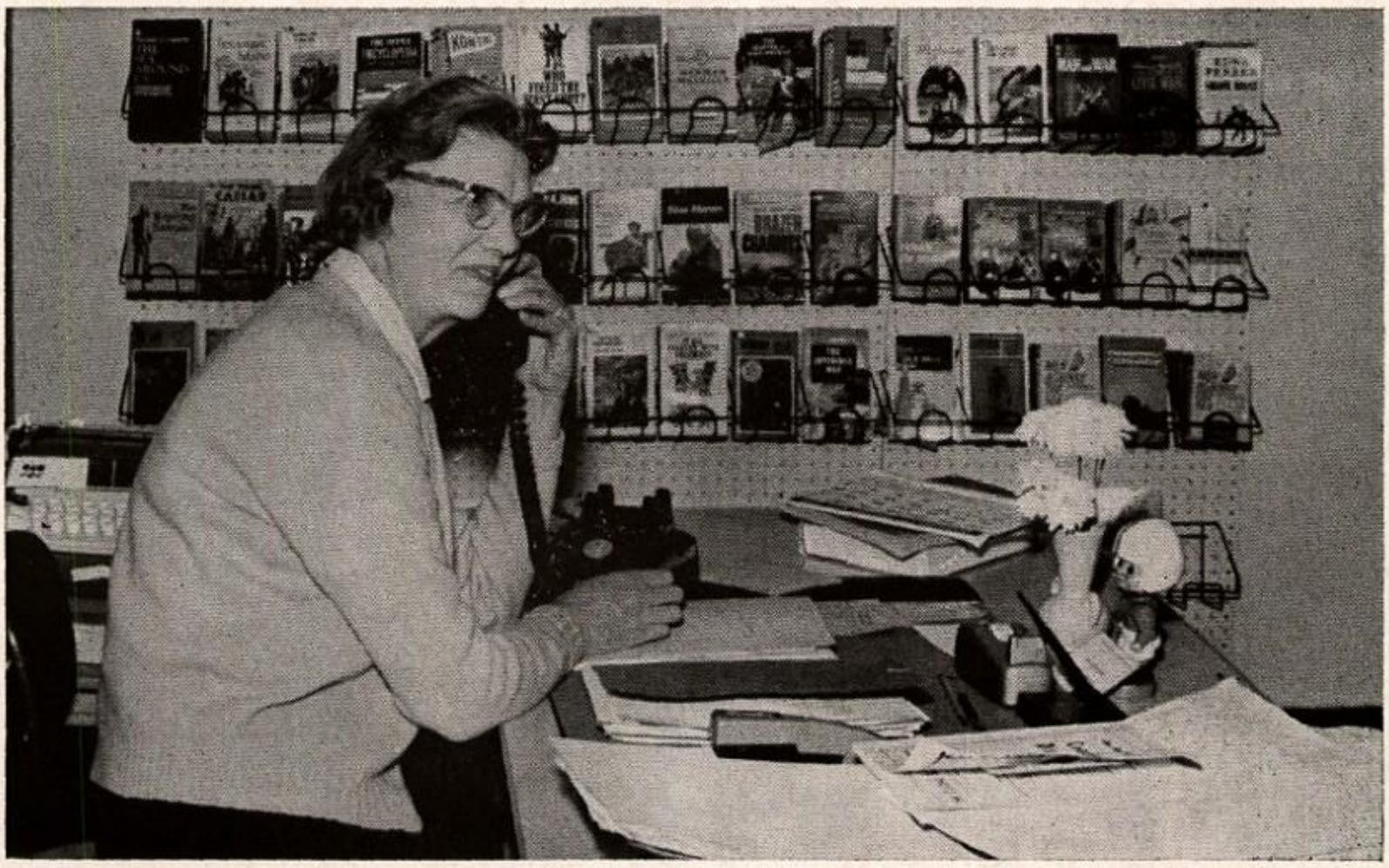
Mrs. Mary Jurkowitz, Mrs. Edith Nemcic, Mrs. Ruth McClanahan and Mrs. Betty Petrocy are the willing and helpful secretaries in the High School office.

STANLEY L. LEWIS
B.A., Miami University
M. in Ed., Xavier University
Assistant Principal, Faculty Manager of Athletics

ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL, Mr. Stan Lewis, is the athletic director of M.H.S. and the principal's right hand man. This is his first year as assistant principal at Middletown — a job which keeps him quite busy. He daily talks to parents, students, police officials, and faculty. Many complaints and disciplinary problems are brought to him and soon ironed out under his sturdy leadership. Students interested in purchasing paperback books will find a wide selection available in Mr. Lewis' office. The proceeds from this project go to the Middletown High School Band. With the help of his secretary Mrs. Kay Fasany, he sells pre-game tickets to the basketball and football games for students, who have not purchased an activity ticket.

Thanks to Mr. Lewis and the counselors

Mrs. Kay Fasany, secretary for Mr. Lewis, answers the phone in her office.

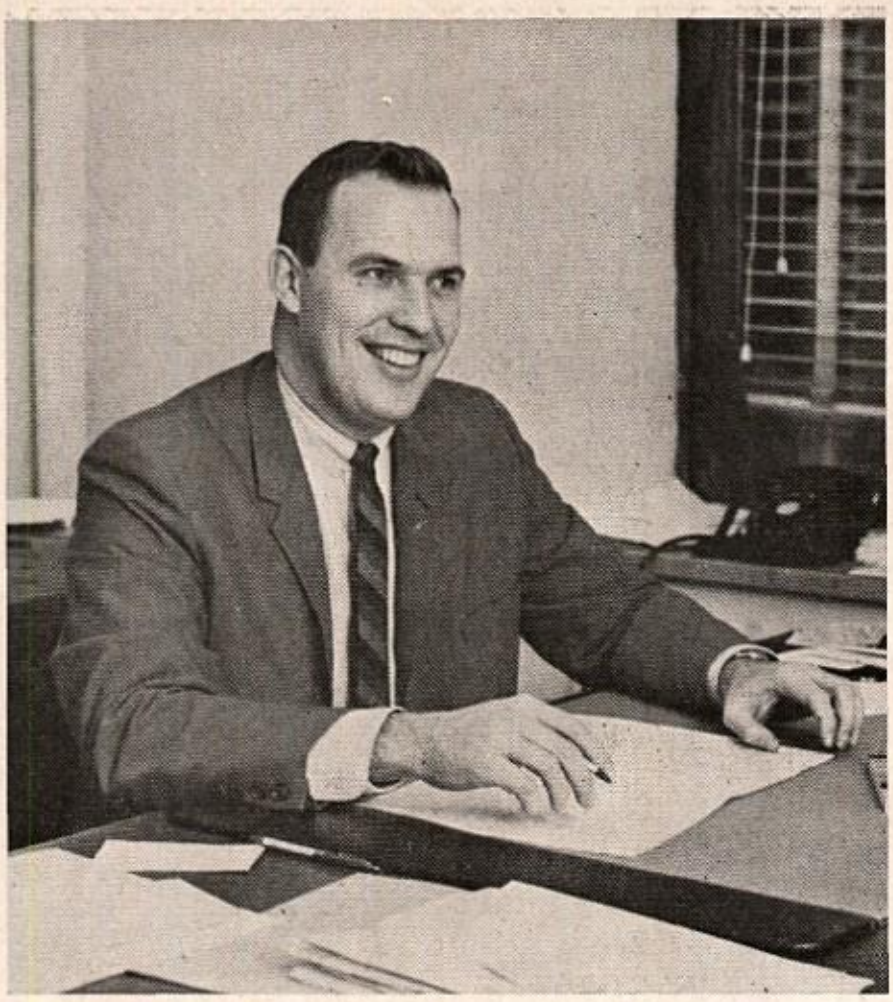


THE COUNSELING AND GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT is headed by Mr. Robert Kramer, who counsels the members of the senior class. Mr. Kramer's main responsibility is in advising seniors about college or vocational schools. In addition, Mr. Kramer schedules representatives from area colleges who speak to students about their college enrollment. Making certain that each senior has a sufficient number of credits for graduation is one of his most important tasks. The counseling department also help seniors in filling out their applications for the three local scholarships offered. The ones available are the Gardner Scholarship, open to students who plan to attend private schools; the Armco Scholarship for those interested in science, engineering, and math; and the Champion Paper Scholarship available to anyone.

ROBERT B. KRAMER
B.S. in Ed., Miami University
M.S. in H.P.E.R., Indiana Universiy
Guidance

many Middies have reached their goals.

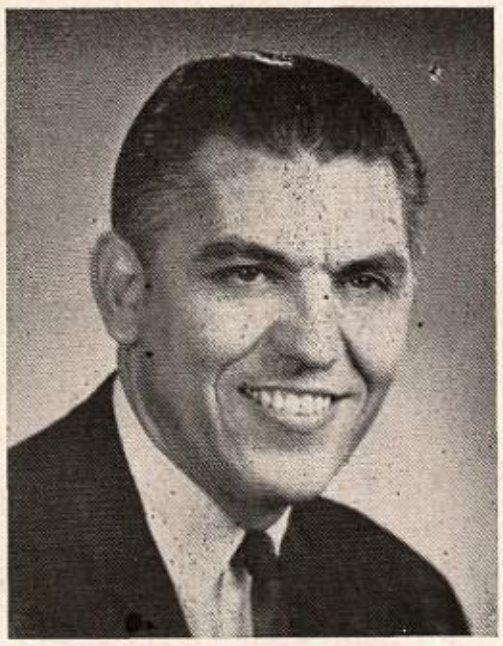
Mrs. Rozella Sixt as secretary to the counseling staff assists Patti Fruauff with her problem. Among her duties are sending students' transcripts to the colleges of their choice and checking guidance materials.



MARTIN EGELSTON
B.S., M. Ed., Miami University
Dean of Boys

JAMES W. DIANA
B.S., M. Ed., Miami University
Guidance Counselor

The counselors advised scholastically



HARRY C. ANDREWS
B.S., Morris Harvey College
M.A., West Virginia University
Counseling

DEAN OF BOYS, Mr. Martin Egelston, is an ever present help in the emotional and physical problems of the boys in our high school. Now in his fifth year at Middletown High School and fourth as Dean of Boys, Mr. Egelston's many other duties include checking attendance and truancy. He is also responsible for disciplinary action taken in conjunction with parents and truancy courts. In addition to his duties as Dean, Mr. Egelston is director of the Adult Evening School and the Miami Academic Center.

Mr. James Diana's time is devoted to counseling junior students. He assists them in planning their schedules so that they will be prepared to enter the profession or trade of their choice.

Mr. Harry Andrews helps M.H.S. students prepare a well balanced schedule. He checks to be certain that the student's course of study will give him a sufficient number of credits for graduation.

MRS. RHODA SHULL
B.A., Asbury College
Dean of Girls

MARION DIXON MILLER
A.B., Mount Holyoke College
Counseling, English

and the deans offered emotional aid.

DEAN OF GIRLS, Mrs. Rhoda Shull, is one of the busiest people at M.H.S. Mrs. Shull executes her many and various duties in her new office on the first floor. Her services range from filing tardy permits and honor cards, and administering first aid, to the more serious social problems concerning truancy and police and juvenile courts. She always has a sympathetic ear for all girls at Middletown. Mrs. Eula Barnette is secretary for both deans and finds her first year at M.H.S. quite interesting.

Mrs. Marion Miller, senior counselor, and Mrs. Ruth Flanagan, counselor of the sophomores, both teach classes daily in addition to their counseling duties. Their jobs involve arranging the students' schedules for future years and keeping in mind both a well-balanced schedule and adequate credits for graduation.

RUTH FLANAGAN
B.S., East Carolina College
M.A., East Carolina College
Counseling, Physiology

W. C. NEEL
B.S. in Ed., University of Cincinnati
M.E., Miami University
Business English, Counseling, Co-operative Office Education

Mr. Neel instructs his co-op class during morning hours in Business English.

First-hand experiences proved useful

CO-OP GIRLS have a great experience in high school. The girls in this unique plan attend classes in the morning and then in the afternoon work to receive on-the-job training in community business offices.

Mr. Neel, the administrator of the program, interviews each prospective student who fills out an application during the second semester of her junior year. He also contacts business establishments in the community for positions for his co-op students. The students who participate are selected from these applications by the administration and business education faculty.

The girls in co-op must maintain an over all average of "B" and be in the upper third of their class. These students must also show a high degree of efficiency in performing their school subjects. The chosen students must take Business English, economics and government, Shorthand II, office practice and/or Accounting II.

Mary Hensley checks tabulation as Sheryle Greenwell prepares the first step for data in the City Building computer.

MAURICE G. McCALL
A.B., Ohio University
Salesmanship, Merchandising, Distributive Education

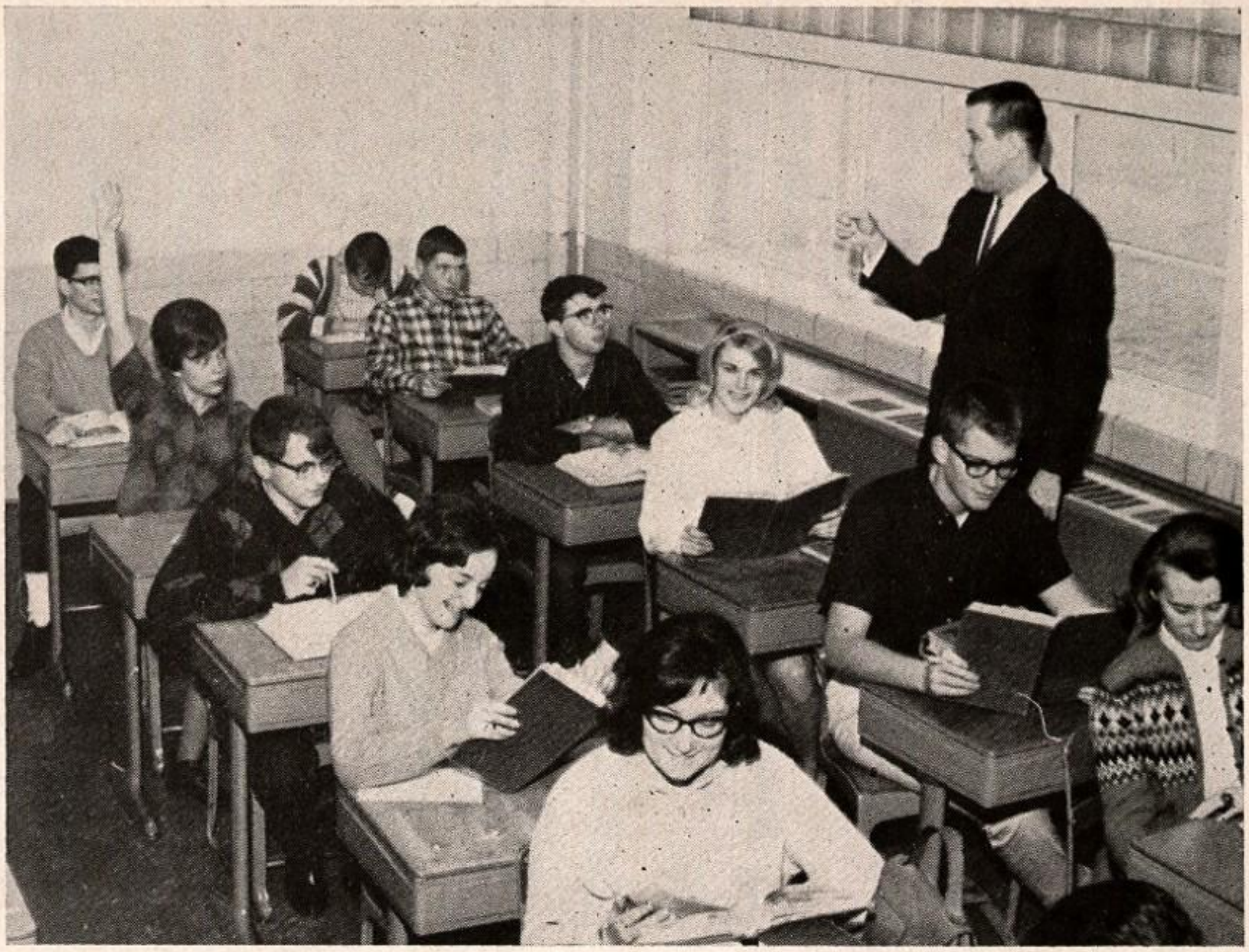
David Krebs presides at the meeting of the distributive education classes as Mr. McCall observes.

to DECA students and CO-OP girls.

THE DISTRIBUTIVE EDUCATION program, headed by Mr. M. G. McCall, offers students salesmanship and merchandising in morning classes. DECA students then work a minimum of fifteen hours per week in a local retail establishment. Students permitted to enroll in this program are selected on the basis of their scholastic records, friendly dispositions, and willingness to work.

First semester officers were David Krebs, president; Sam Walters, vice-president; Charlene Denniston, secretary; Patty McQuire, treasurer; and Cherie Cain, sergeant at arms. Second semester officers were Tom Groves, Mike Combs, Sue Puckett, Patty McQuire, and David Krebs. Some of the sponsoring firms are A and P Stores, Denny Lumber, Roberson and Sons, W. T. Grant Company, Leo's, Montgomery Ward, Beck-Talbert, Union Sanitary, and Schiff's Shoes.

Sam Walters and Robert Johnson listen as Jim Woods, manager of Leo's, explains tire treads and inventory procedures.



Mr. Moore calls on Debbie Stamper for an answer to his inquiry in American History.

Social Studies taught us the basis

ROBERT L. ALFORD
B.S. in Mus. Ed., Claflin University
Special Education

DONALD T. ANSBERRY
B.S., Ball State Teachers College
M.A., Ball State Teachers College
American Government

JOSEPHINE ARMSTRONG
B.A., Miami University
M.A., Miami University
Spanish II, Spanish III

HELEN ARNOLD
B.S. in Ed., Miami University
Biology

CATHERINE AUSTIN
B.A. in English, Berea College, Kentucky
English II, English III

WILLIAM K. BALDRIDGE
Certificate in Vocational Education,
University of Cincinnati
Machine Shop

THE SOCIAL STUDIES DEPARTMENT, headed by Mr. Donald Ansberry, offers courses which are an integral part of the curriculum at Middletown High School. Each student is required to study American History, government, and economics. Through a study of our history, the student develops a respect for, and pride in, his American heritage. Government and economics, taken in the student's senior year, give him a chance to gain an understanding of how our democratic government and free enterprise system function. To supplement classroom studies, the government classes take field trips to the county courthouse in Hamilton. Speakers are secured from professional fields to discuss topics pertaining to their line of work, such as banking and insurance, adding to the student's practical knowledge of economics.

In addition to the three mandatory courses, the social studies department also includes several optional subjects. World history, one of these electives, pursues a study of world cultures from the earliest times up to the present. In contrast to world history, current history is concerned exclusively with current events in our ever-changing world. Sociology rounds out the courses that comprise the social studies curriculum.

As American government semester exams near, the students in Mr. Mayabb's class team up for short quiz games.

for our democratic way of life.

Mrs. Selvar gives supplemental information to her economics class when they approach commercial banking procedures.

Mrs. Betty Sams ably assists Sara Dean in a book report selection.

Books — a vast library of knowledge,

Clarence Page locates information about Viet Nam in an atlas as Mrs. Schmidt helps Nancy Stein with a biography report.

TWO LIBRARIES are available to the students at M.H.S. If it is a work of fiction or biography, the student will find this book in the reading library. The responsibilities of the reading library are executed by Mrs. Betty Sams. Non-fiction and reference books are found in the reference library, where Mrs. Pauline Schmidt, librarian, is very helpful to students in locating material. She works quietly and diligently helping the students to prepare those last minute reports. Mrs. Schmidt is supervisor of both libraries.

THE SPEECH DEPARTMENT offers three courses to students interested in speech. Basic speech gives the student a foundation in oratory. In this course he learns the fundamentals of the preparation and presentation of speeches. A basic study of other phases include stage fright, discussion, conducting a meeting, and tactful criticism. In debate the student deals with learning fine techniques of discussion. Dramatics includes the study of drama, acting, and the production of plays. The technique of voice and pantomime are two exciting fields experienced by students under the direction of Mr. James Butch and Mr. Dave Ballard, head of the speech department.

Paula Duncan takes notes as Lynn Withey delivers a speech in Mr. Butch's debate class.

Mr. Ballard discusses deduction and induction with his basic speech class.

speech — a great world of expression.

DAVID L. BALLARD
B.S. in Ed., Miami University
Basic Speech, Dramatics

KATHLEEN BANKER
B.A., Western College
Algebra II, Solid Geometry, Trigonometry

VIRGINIA BARBER
A.B., Berea College, Kentucky
English II, English III

E. O. BARR
A.B., Antioch
M.A., Ohio State
Printing

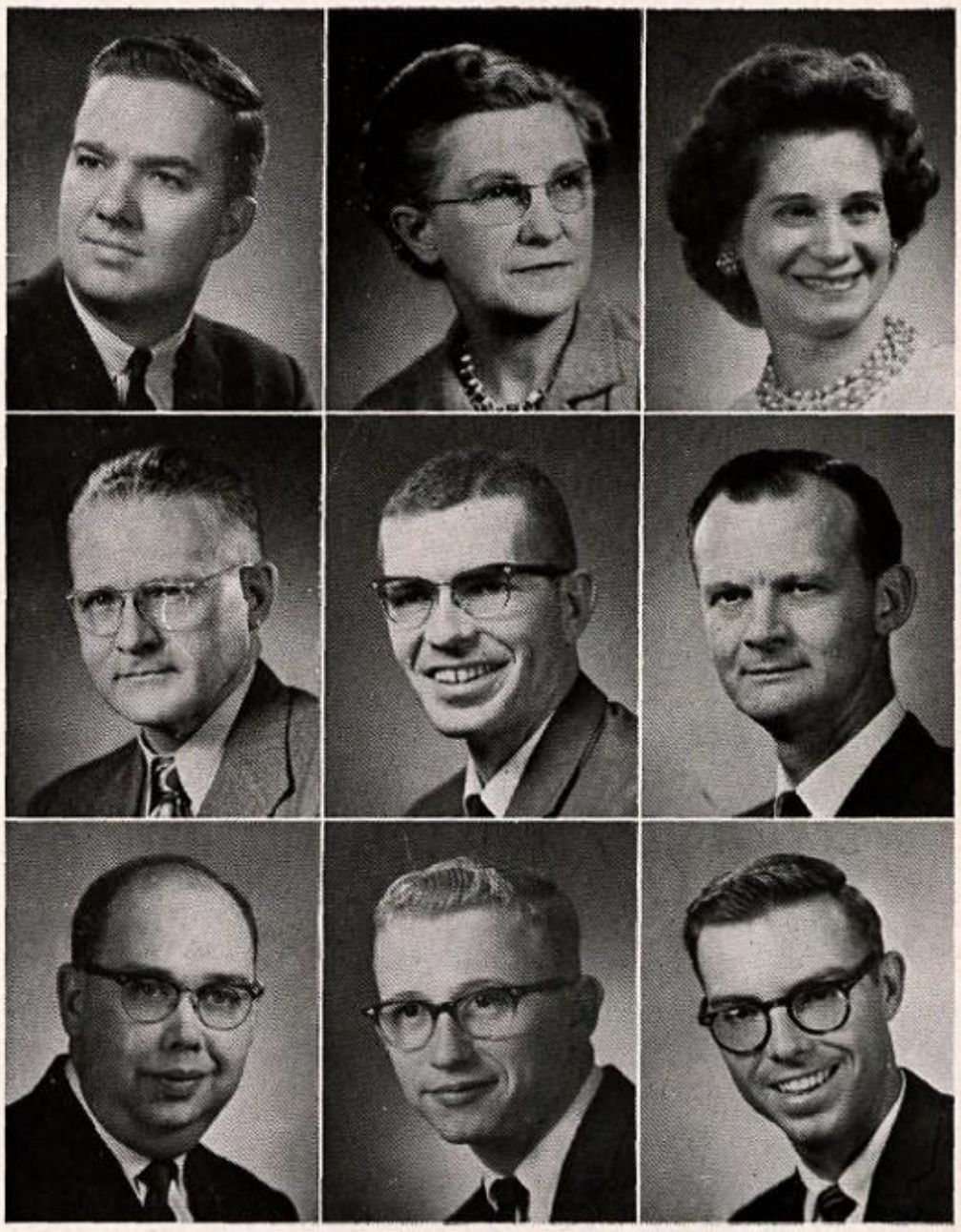
J. D. BATES
A.B., Western Carolina College
English II

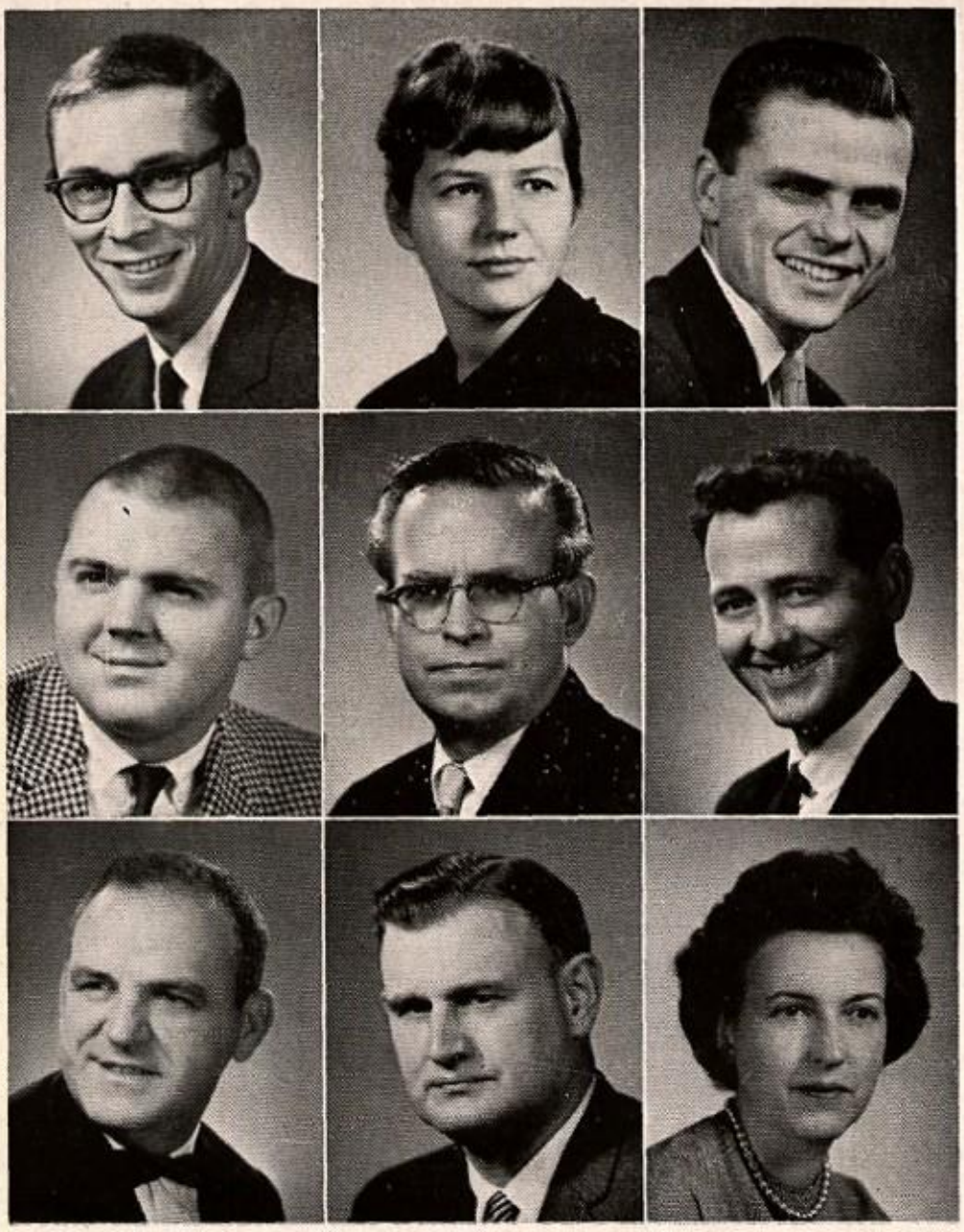
WILLIAM C. BETZ
B.S. in Ed., Miami University
M. in Ed., Miami University
Cadet Band, Orchestra

LEWIS BLAKE
A.B., West Virginia Institute of Technology
M.A., Marshall University
English IV

DAVID A. BOTDORF
B.S., Otterbein College
General Math

ROBERT O. BOWMAN
B.S. in Ed., Miami University
American History, Current History





JAMES BUTCH
B.F.A., Ohio University
Basic Speech, Debate, English II

BAIBA CAUNITE
B.A. in Ed., University of Cincinnati
B.S. in Ed., University of Cincinnati
English II

KENNETH CARTER
B.S. in Commerce, Eastern Kentucky State College
Accounting I, Accounting II

JOHN COOK
B.A., Western Michigan University
Physical Science

PHILIP N. COOK
B.S. in Ed., Miami University
English III

KENDALL CRAFT, JR.
A.B., Eastern Kentucky State College
M.A., Eastern Kentucky State College
Art

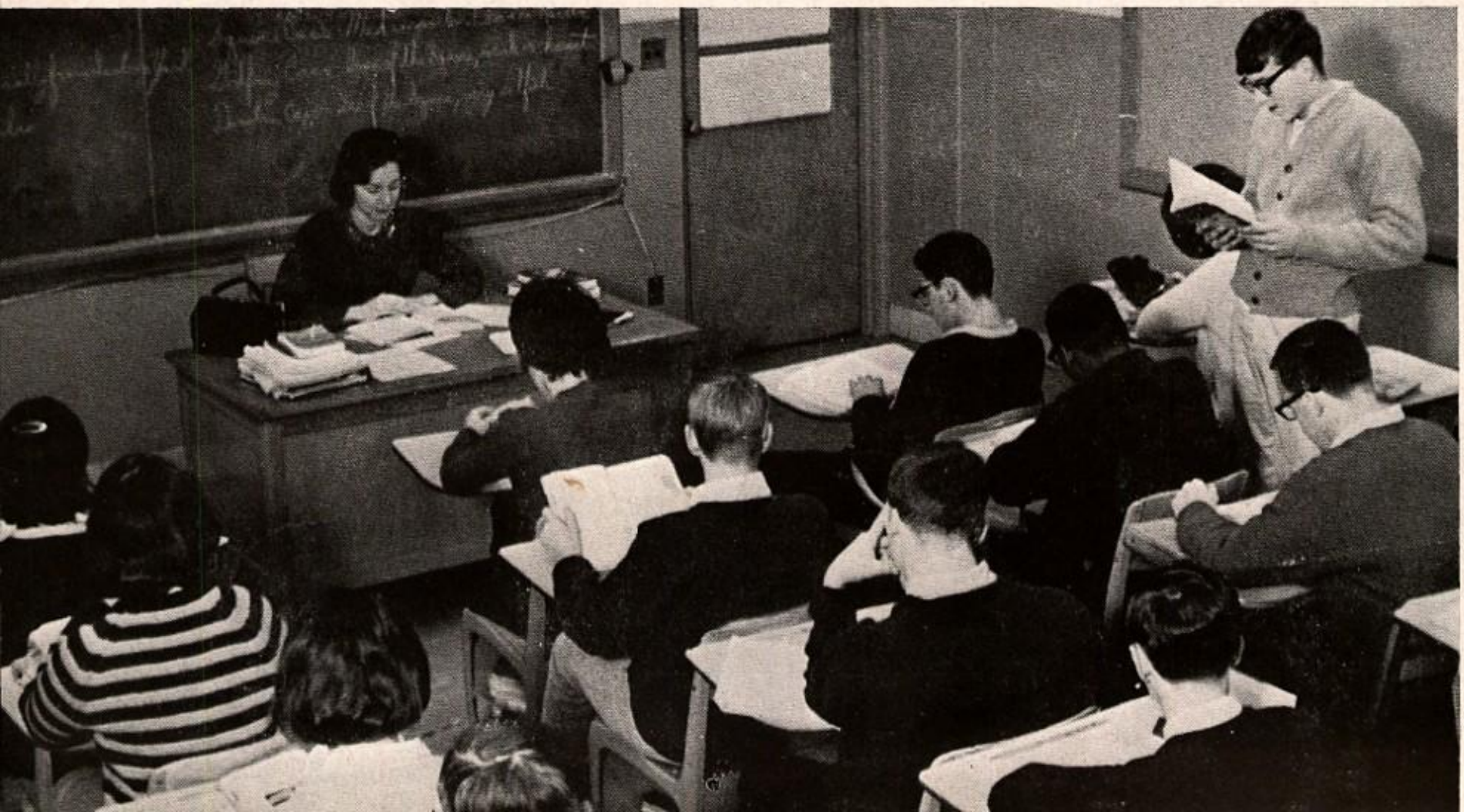
JAMES P. DILLON
B.S., Miami University
M. in Ed., Miami University
Woodworking, Swimming

FRANCIS J. DITMYER
University of Cincinnati
Vocational Electricity

ELLEN EASTON
B.A., Wittenberg University
M.A., University of Michigan
English IV

The English language is the prerequisite

Miss Austin and class listen as David Chatman reads of the adventures of "Silas Marner" in the sophomore literature book.



ENGLISH is one of the most important subjects at Middletown High School. Teachers instruct their classes in grammar, literature, vocabulary, spelling and composition. The fundamentals of grammar and composition are presented to the student as well as both the classical and contemporary works of literature. Through the study of each of these areas, the student develops a clear understanding of the English language. Three years of English are offered at Middletown High.

Sophomores do not concentrate on any particular area in literature, but receive a well-rounded curriculum. The sophomore year is highlighted by a study of *Silas Marner* and of *Julius Caesar*. Juniors concentrate on American literature. All juniors are required to read *Moby Dick*, *Huckleberry Finn*, and *The Scarlet Letter*. The study of these famous books helps to make the junior year a memorable one. Senior English literature concentrates on world authors and selections of Shakespeare and Milton.

Through a good education in the English language, students are given a chance for self-improvement. One's position is definitely raised through fluent self-expression. The department head, Miss Ellen Easton, and her staff offer aid and influence to their students for usage of better English — a language of which to be proud.

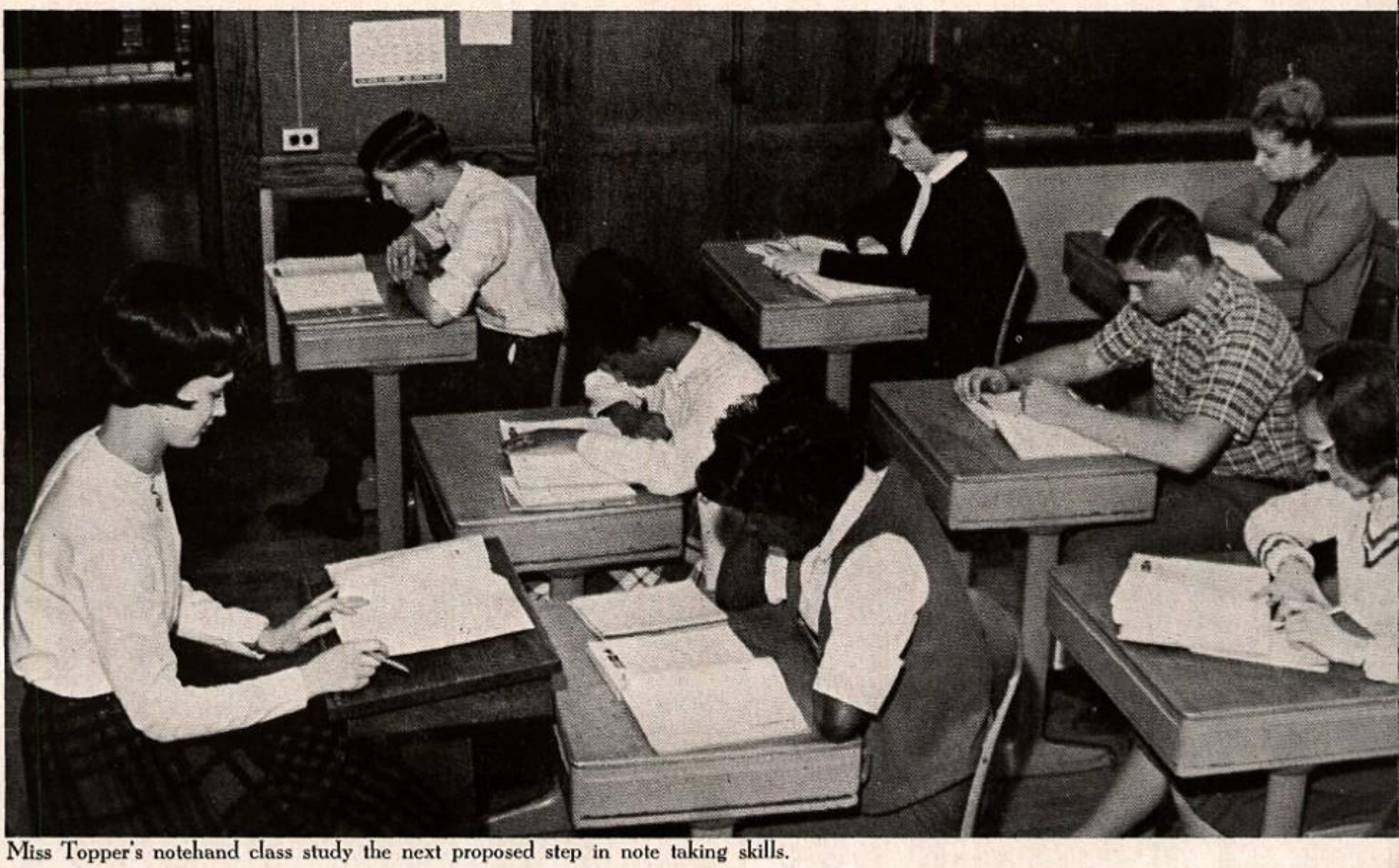
Mrs. Nein and the junior English class review the background of the Revolutionary War.

for all our future successes in life.

Mr. Blake interprets "The Rime of the Ancient Mariner" to his senior English class.

The accounting class compute diligently as Mr. Carter dictates the figures for a balance sheet.

Education in commercial fields provides students



Miss Topper's notehand class study the next proposed step in note taking skills.

Mrs. Johnson's personal typing class begins typing fundamentals from their text.

THE COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT provides an extensive understanding of the business world. Students are taught shorthand, typing, accounting, and office practice. The course's objective is to help M.H.S. students to understand what business is, how it functions, and how it serves both society and the individual. Business education prepares each student for a life vocation and at the same time aids in the formation of a well-rounded education. For those students who plan to continue on to college, a course in notehand is offered as well as a course in personal typing, each a semester course. For those students majoring in business education a part-time cooperative plan is available. Mr. Robert Enright is the head of the department.

with a foundation for their future vocations.

ROBERT H. EDDINS
B.S. in Phys. Sci., West Virginia University
M.A. in Phys. Sci., Marshall University
Chemistry I

ROBERT F. ENRIGHT
B.S., University of Dayton
M.E., Miami University
Business Law, Shorthand II

ZAINA KELLER FLICKINGER
B.S. in Ed., Ohio University
Office Practice, Typing II

ROBERT E. GAMBLE
B.S., Tennessee Tech
M. in Ed., University of Maryland
American Government, Economics

PAUL E. GATES
B.A., Ohio University
Spanish

THOMAS GILLOOLY
B. in Ed., Miami University
General Math

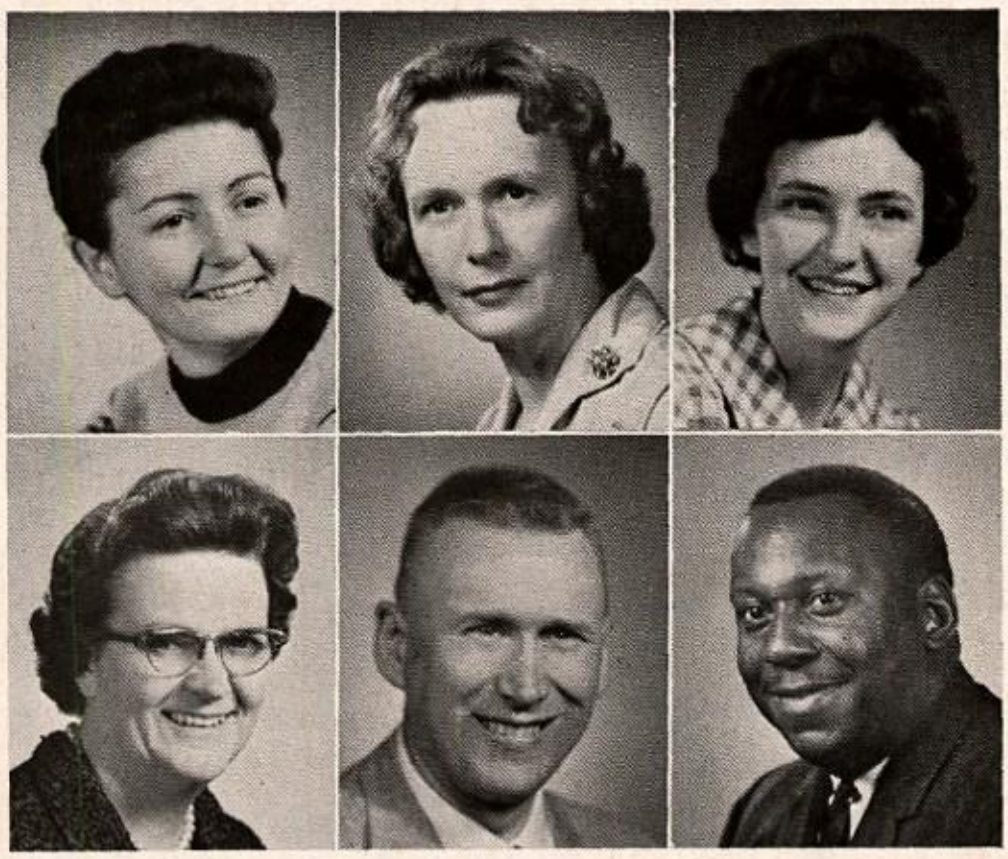
CHARLES R. GIRIMONT
B.S. in Bus. Ed., West Virginia Institute of Technology
Merchandising, Salesmanship, Ticket Manager

HAROLD H. GLEADALL
B.S. in Ed., Wilmington College
Biology, Geography

JOHN A. GORDON
B.S. in Ed., University of Cincinnati
Typing I, Football, Wrestling

Using the techniques taught to them for preparing meals are Elaine Carter, Delvia Fannin, and Cindy Coddington.

Cooking, sewing, and family living contribute



JANET I. HAMILTON
B.S. in Ed., Miami University
Physical Education, G.A.A.

ALICE HARPER
B.S. in Ed., Miami University
French I, English II

YVONNE G. HARRISON
B.S. in Ed., Miami University
Home Economics

HELEN JOHNSON
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M.A., Morehead State College
Business English, Personal Typing, Shorthand II

W. H. KESSELRING
A.B., North Central College
M.S., University of Illinois
Biology, Zoology

THOMAS KIMBROUGH
B.S. in Math and Physics, Wilberforce University
Plane Geometry, Senior Math

The girls in Mrs. Harrison's class wonder if their sewing project will succeed.

Nikki Finkelman explains kitchen planning to the family living class as Mrs. Harrison looks on.

skills and experience for the Domestic Arts.

HOME ECONOMICS students, instructed by Mrs. Yvonne Harrison and Mrs. Josephine Thomas, have an excellent opportunity to become familiar with the skills requisite for maintaining a home. For the first time this year a course in Family Living is being offered at M.H.S. This course trains senior girls in the art of home and family planning. It provides a well-rounded curriculum and trains girls in cooking, sewing, interior decorating, child care, first aid, home management, and wardrobe planning. This class is under the direction of Mrs. Yvonne Harrison, who is also the head of the Home Economics Department. Whether a girl plans to become a wife and mother or to pursue a career, a study of home economics is helpful, even necessary preparation for womanhood.

The student in Home Economics I studies the preparation of breakfast and lunch, design and construction of clothes, personal grooming, room decoration, and child care. In Home Economics II baking, preparing dinners, textiles, laundry, and home nursing receive the emphasis. Students in Home Economics III concentrate on wardrobe planning, family meals, entertainment, arrangement and decoration of rooms, and the budget. Wise purchasing, advanced clothing projects, special diets and the preparation of foreign foods are the topics pursued during the study of Home Economics IV.

Mrs. McBain aids Ronnie McQuinn as her other students determine the solutions to various geometric problems.

Mathematics is challenging and essential in

Jim McGuire, Tim Bales and Diane Paine present algebra problems on the board in Mr. Payne's math class.

THE MATH DEPARTMENT offers several courses from which a student may select his training. Courses in General Math I and II, Algebra I and II, plane geometry, solid geometry, trigonometry, and advanced mathematics are offered to all students. Students preparing for college usually take plane geometry as sophomores. This is the study of geometric planes, calculations, theoretical problems and theorems. With this background the student can take Algebra II his junior year and trigonometry or advanced math as seniors. Students who wish to review fundamentals of math and to obtain an introduction of Algebra take General Mathematics I and II before taking higher math courses in high school.

MARY F. KINDELL
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Creative Writing, English, Journalism, Middletonian

ROBERT KLEINFELDER
B.S., Miami University
M.A., Miami University
Physics I, Physics II

RICHARD W. LAIL
B.S., Wilmington College
Mechanical Drawing

JAMES L. LEWIS
B.S., Murray State College
M.A., Murray State College

J. R. LINE
B.S., Miami University
M.A., Miami University
Consumer Education, Sociology

BERMAN LITTON, JR.
A.B., Glenville State College
M. in Ed., Miami University
American History, World History

EDWARD E. MALCOM
B.A., Maryville College
M.A., Ohio State University
Foundations of Advanced Math, Plane Geometry, Solid Geometry, Trigonometry

THELMA J. MASTERS
B.S., Eastern Kentucky State College
M.A., Eastern Kentucky State College
Shorthand I, Typing I, Typing II

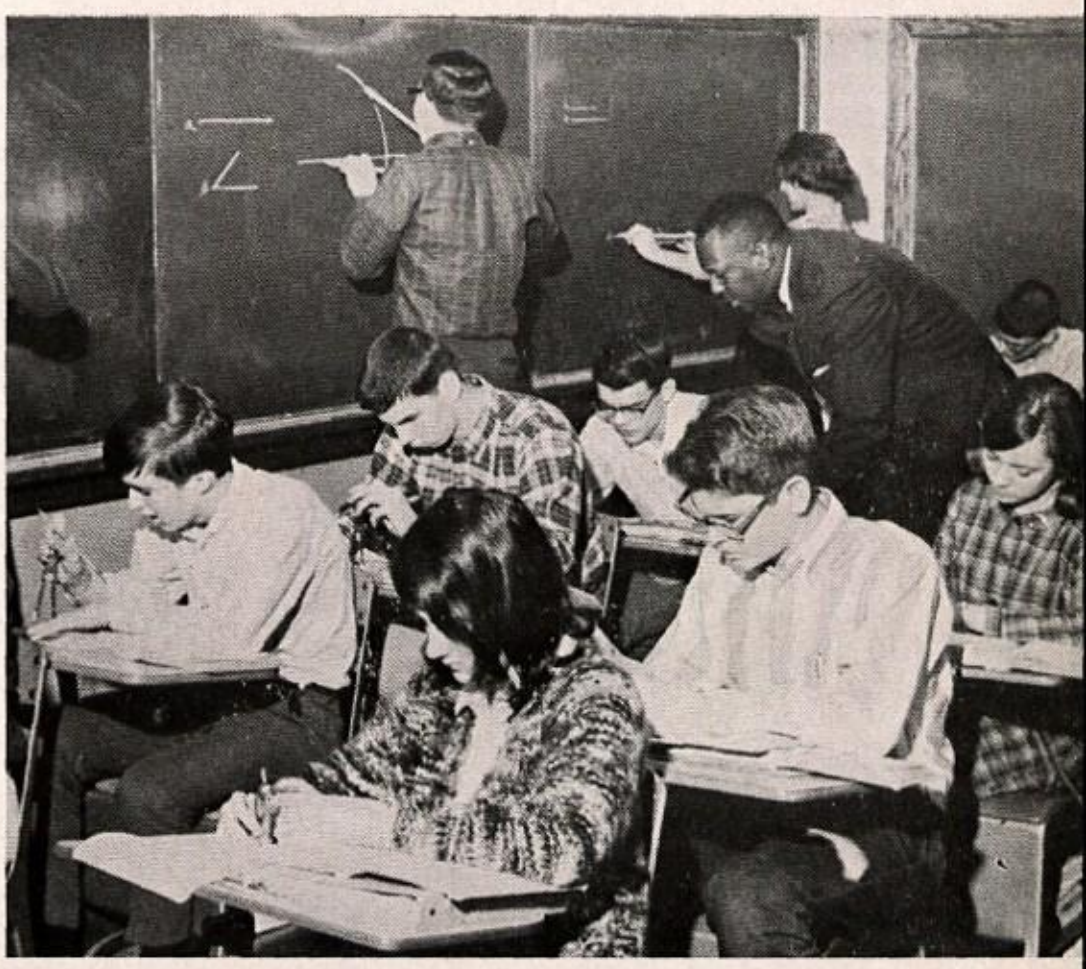
JESSE MAYABB
A.B., Morehead State College
American History, Government

every field of endeavor of an M.H.S. student.

ADVANCED MATHEMATICS is taken by those who usually plan to take mathematic courses in college. Included in this course are solid geometry, plane trigonometry, logarithms, analytic geometry, calculus, statistics, probability, and the theory of equations. Many of these topics are introductions to courses which the student may elect to take in college.

Mr. Edward E. Malcom is head of the Math Department. Under his direct leadership the math teachers offer the students math foundations essential in the industrial and scientific world of today.

The study of mathematics helps a student to develop logical thought processes, abstract reasoning, powers of concentration, manipulative and computational skill with numbers, and an appreciation and understanding of the importance of numbers in modern society.



Mr. Kimbrough explains the basic principles of geometry to students as Norman Nichols and Helen Karloutsos demonstrate the fundamentals.

John Manning and Charles Breckenridge are adjusting the points on a Chevy truck as Mr. Sexton watches.

Skills are acquired through practical

JAMES J. MELTON
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M. in Ed., University of Cincinnati
Special Education

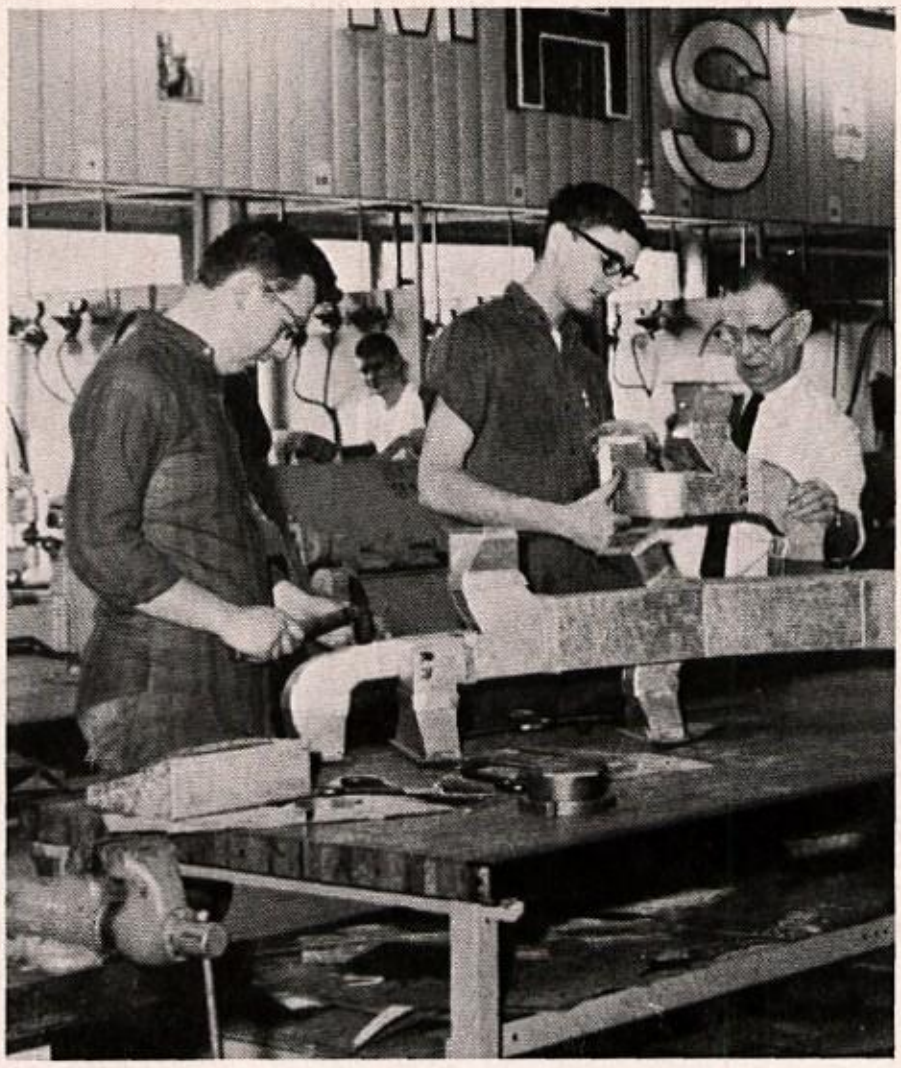
RALPH MILLER
B.S. in Ed., Wittenberg University
Basic Electricity, Drawing, General Metal

DAN C. MOORE
A.B., Georgetown College
American History, Consumer Education, Sociology I, Sociology II

LOUISE McBAIN
B.S. in Ed., Miami University
M.A., Miami University
Algebra II, Solid Geometry, Trigonometry

VEDA McCRAY
A.B., Heidelberg
M.A., University of Wisconsin
Latin II, Latin III, Latin IV, Optimist, Y-Teens

MARIAN L. NEIN
B.S. in Ed., Miami University
English III



Mr. Roszell instructs Don Neel and Tim Curlis in assembling parts of a miniature heating system.

Mr. Lail conducts a drafting and mechanical drawing class.

experience in all areas of Industrial Arts.

THE INDUSTRIAL ARTS program is designed to give useful pre-vocational and vocational training to both sexes. The vocational courses prepare the high school graduate to enter a skilled trade or a technical school for further study. Pre-vocational courses serve as an introduction to college preparatory students interested in related fields of engineering. Courses in wood, metal, photography, machine, and electrical work provide the foundations for positions in construction work and industries.

These courses are useful both as a form of recreation and as a means of expression. There is the hope that the true craftsman, who seems to be disappearing in our modern world, will come back into existence. New ideas are discussed and different methods of procedure are debated by the class. Skill is the goal of every member of the class and each hopes to become proficient in his chosen field. Because safety is another aim in industrial arts, every measure of protection is taken under the watchful eye of Mr. Ralph Miller, head of the department.

Beverly Selby takes a snapshot of Susan Lyons as Mr. Peltier assists in advice on exposure.

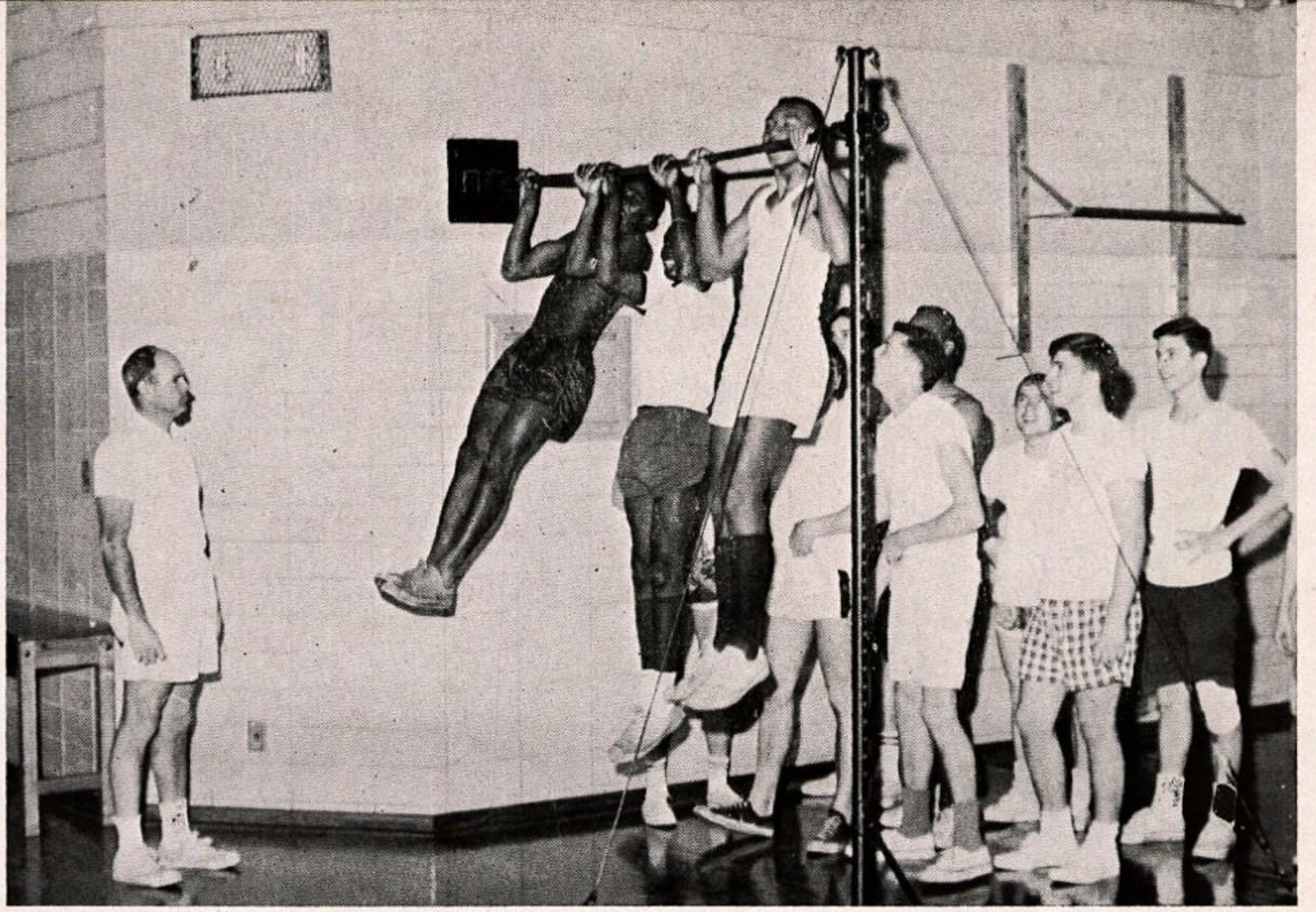
Miss Janet Hamilton spots carefully as her girls manifest their skill on the horse.

PHYSICAL FITNESS is an important element of everyday life. The physical education classes at M.H.S. provide both the time and guidance needed to keep the students healthy. Miss Janet Hamilton heads the girls' physical education department and Mr. Charles Rice the boys' physical education department.

Mr. Charles Rice and Mr. Edward Reece help the boys develop muscular coordination. This is accomplished through instruction in wrestling, volleyball, tumbling, table tennis, basketball, football, and track. Girls' gym teachers, Janet Hamilton and Vicki Victor, lead the girls in volleyball, calisthenics, track, badminton, table tennis, and gymnastics. In addition, studies are made in social development and physical health. All gym classes closely follow the plan for the physically fit high school student as recommended by the President's Council on Physical Fitness. The students participate in physical fitness tests as part of the regular physical education curriculum.

For physical and moral education as

Miss Vicky Victor leads the sophomore gym class in the calisthenic known as the jumping jack.



Mr. Rice observes as the boys in gym class work out on the chinning bar.

well as education of the mind.

HAROLD T. NORMAN
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Plane Geometry

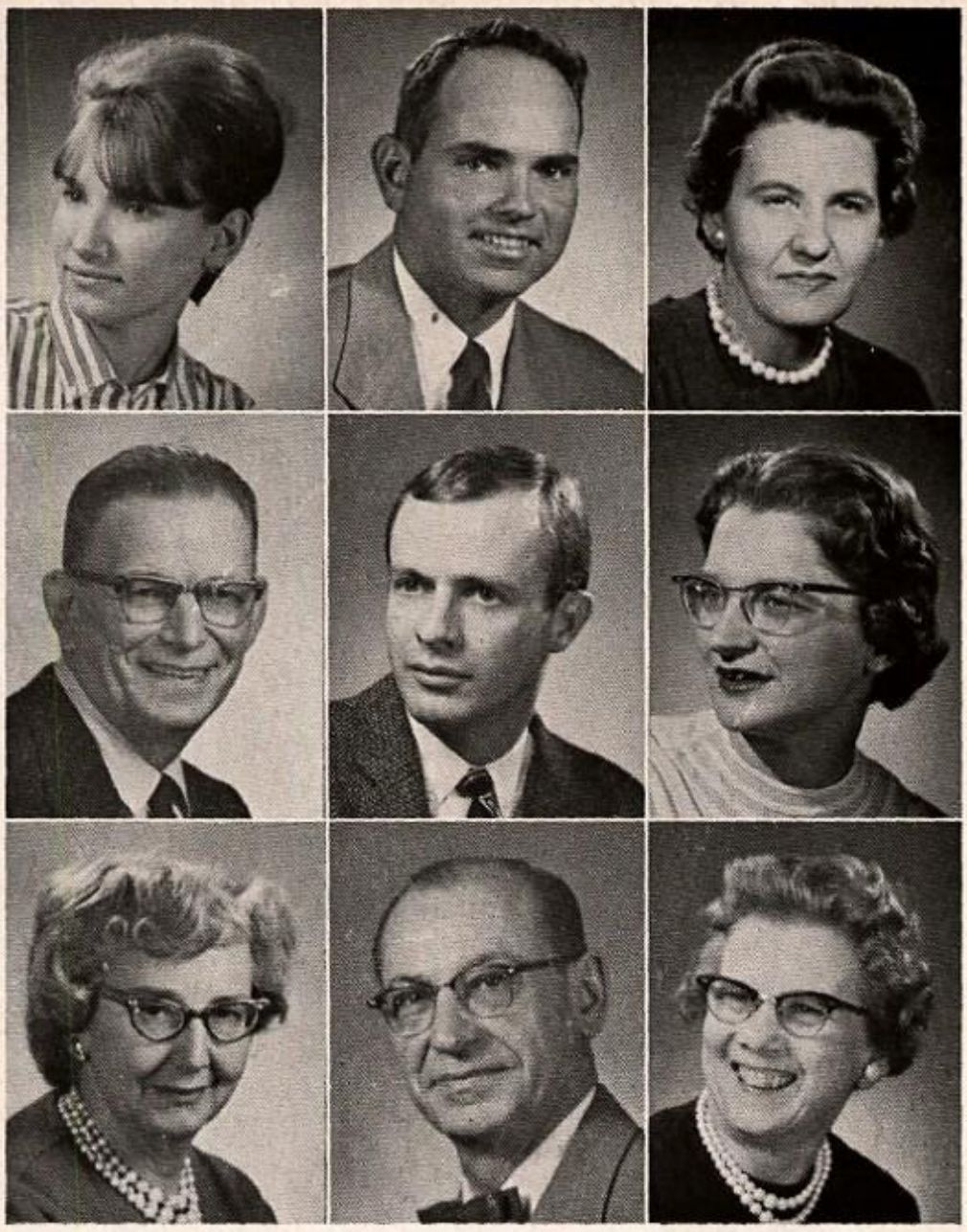
EDWARD E. PAYNE
A.B., William Jewell College
Algebra I, Algebra II, Baseball, Basketball, Football

STANLEY H. PELTIER
B.S. in Ed., Miami University
Photography

DAVID MICHAEL POPP
B.S. in Ed., Miami University
American History

JACK M. RECK
B.P. in Ed., Purdue University
M. in Ed., Xavier University
Physiology, Football, Track

EDWARD ODELL REECE
B.S., Eastern Kentucky State College
M.A., Eastern Kentucky State College
Physical Education, Cross Country, Track



PEGGY COUCH RENTSCHLER
B.A., University of Cincinnati
English III

CHARLES C. RICE, JR.
A.B., University of North Carolina
M. in Ed., University of North Carolina
Physical Education, Intramurals, Tennis

KATHERINE ROUDEBUSH
B.S. in Ed., Miami University
M.E., University of Cincinnati
French II, French III

ERTLY ROSZELL
I.C.S., Mechanical Engineering
Metal Fabrication, Welding

WILLIAM RUPP
B.S., Ohio State University
American History, World History

BARBARA SCHICK
B.A., Cornell University
M.E., University of Rochester
English IV, Student Council, White & Purple Magazine

PAULINE SCHMIDT
A.B., Oberlin College
B.S. in L.S., Western Reserve School of Library Science
Librarian

W. M. SCHWEIKERT
B.S. in Ed., Ohio University
M.A., Ohio University
American History, Economic Geography

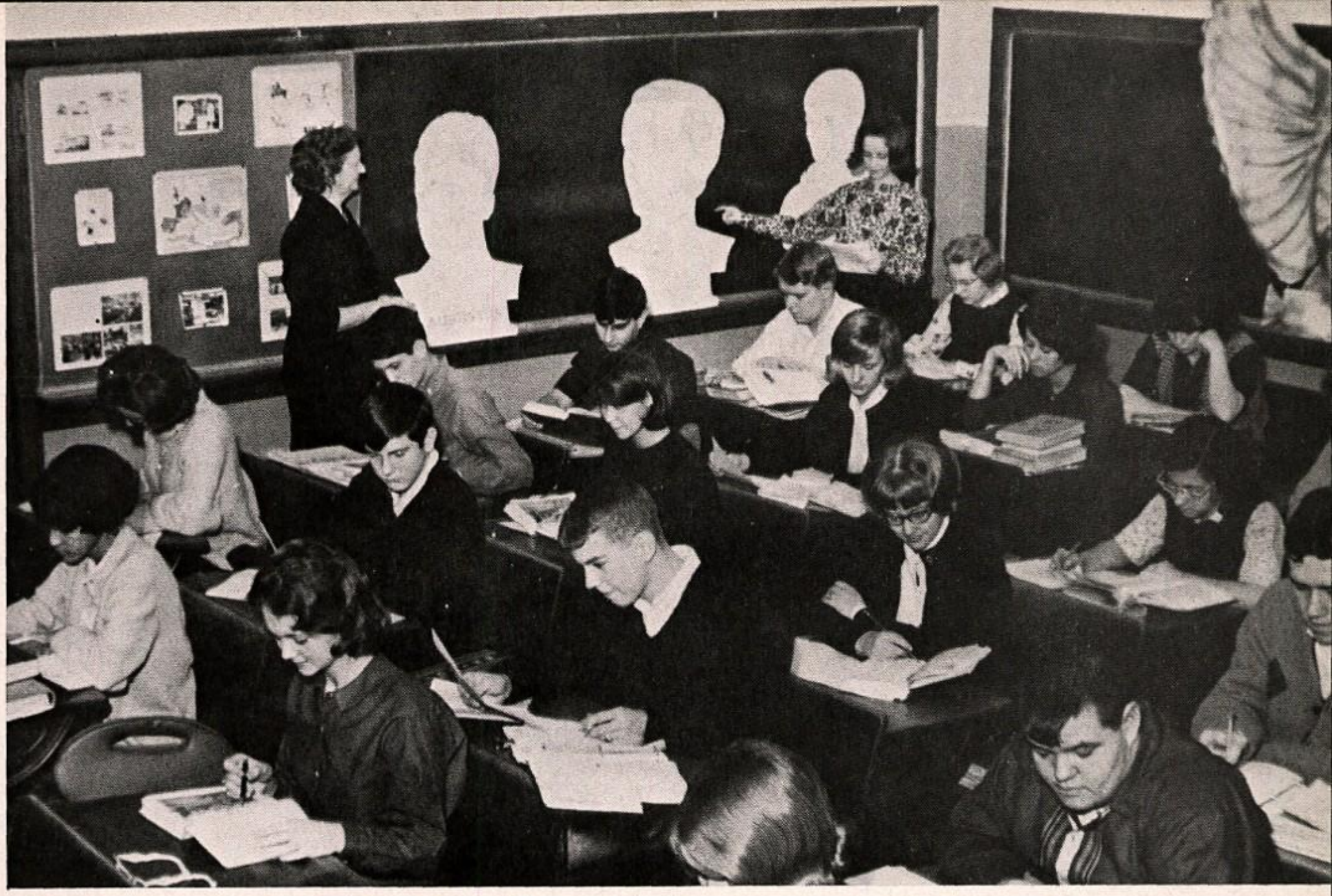
CAROL SELVAR
B.S., University of North Dakota
Economics

Carol Selvar

Latin, Spanish, German, and French

Miss Stults' German I class recites daily dialogue when not in the language laboratory.

Miss Roudebush dictates French to her students for translation.



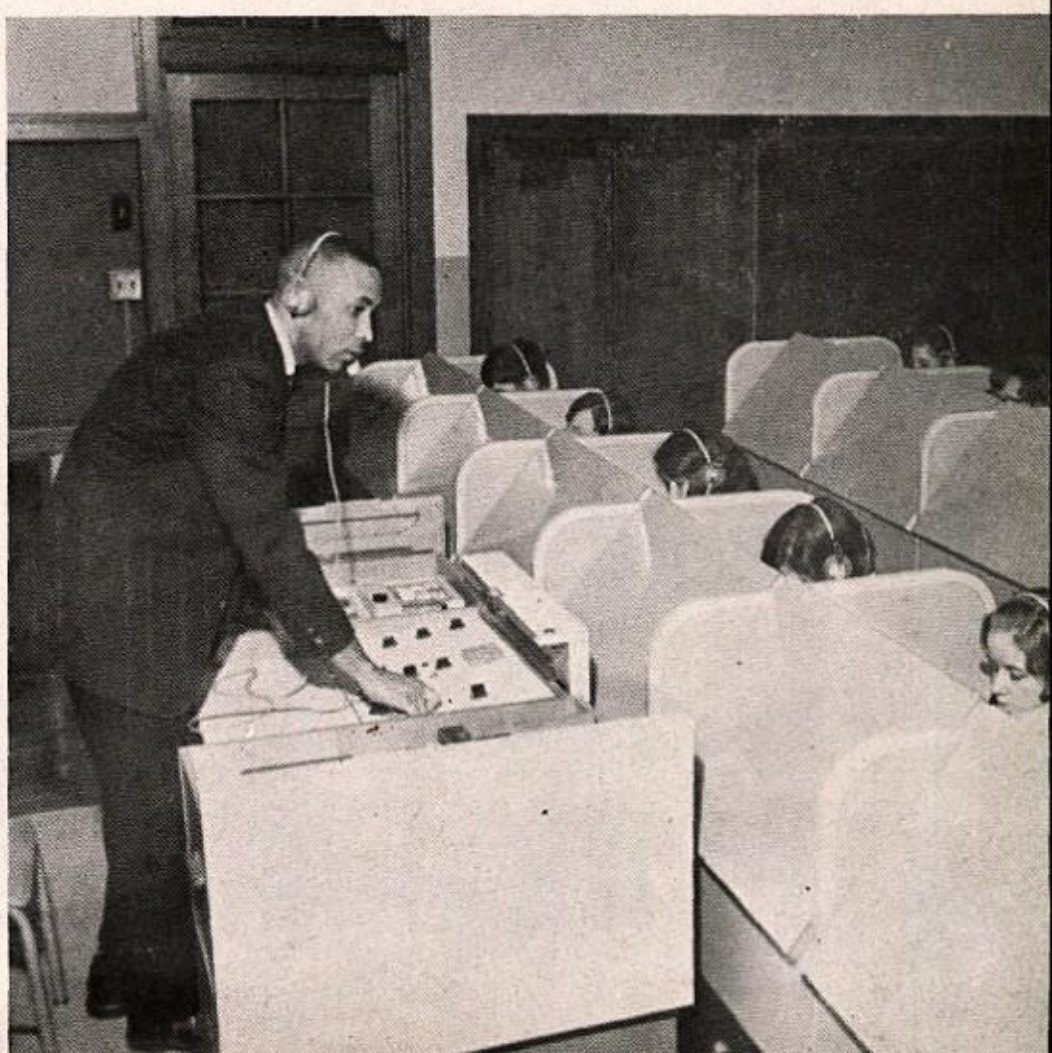
Melodee Farquer explains the lesson to the students of Mrs. Zecher's Caesar class.

flourish for the students at M.H.S.

THE FOREIGN LANGUAGE DEPARTMENT, headed by Miss Katherine Roudebush, offers a varied and interesting course of study. Four years of Latin in the study of the works of Caesar, Cicero, and Virgil are available to students in order to increase their knowledge of this classical language. Contrary to certain opinions, Latin is not a dead language for it adds to a student's vocabulary, helps in the understanding of English and all romance languages.

Spanish, a popular foreign language, is spoken fluently by many pupils. French students can enjoy not only their language but the study of that country, its people, and their customs. German is offered on four levels for students pursuing this language, which is widely used in the study of science. A language laboratory, provided for classes of German, French, and Spanish, has been a great help to language students in learning the fundamentals of enunciation.

Mr. Gates adjusts the volume of recorded language tapes for his Spanish class in the laboratory.



The students in Miss Wilson's Art class work on mosaic paintings.

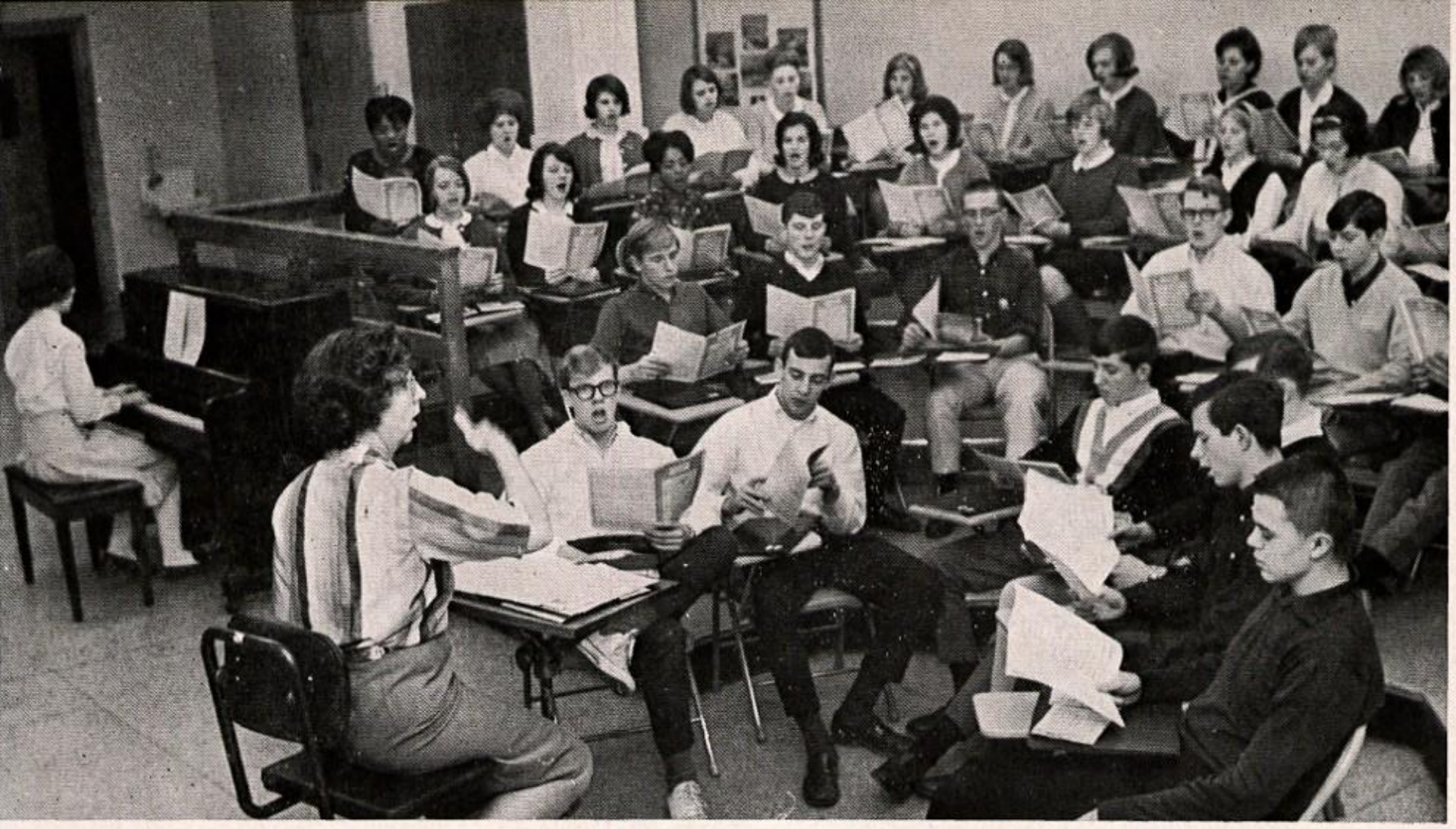
Students have the opportunity to express

Mr. Betz listens intently to a difficult clarinet passage performed by Brenda Mitchell.

THE ART DEPARTMENT, headed by Miss Betty Wilson, provides a four year course giving students an opportunity to work with original drawings, ceramics, and poster paints. The art students also pursue a study of the history and culture of art.

THE MUSIC DEPARTMENT, headed by Mr. William Stiehl, band director, with Mr. William Betz, orchestra leader, presents one of the most outstanding programs in the state for instrumental classes. The orchestra performs at baccalaureate, operetta, school plays and assemblies. The band is seen and heard at half-time of football games, school assemblies, commencement, and the annual spring concert. Both musical organizations present special junior high school concerts and a midwinter concert. Mr. Stiehl in addition instructs classes in music appreciation and theory and harmony.

THE VOCAL MUSIC DEPARTMENT is composed of the Mixed Chorus, Choir, Triple Trio, and Boys' Ensemble. Instructed by Miss Helen Weinberger, the vocal classes prepare their repertoire, which they present at various concerts and assemblies throughout the year.



Miss Weinberger directs the mixed chorus as they sing "How Good It Is."

themselves in moments of Fine Arts.

MARLIE ANN SENF
A.B., Muskingum College
M.S., Cornell University
English III

GLENNIS E. SEXTON
B.S. in Math, Lincoln Memorial University
Vocational Auto Shop

JAMES J. SHAFOR
B.S., University of Dayton
Economics, Government, Personal and Vocational Guidance, Salesmanship

CLEMONS B. SHULL
A.B., Hanover
M.A., Miami University
Special Education

WILLIAM STIEHL
B.S., Miami University
M. in Ed., Miami University
Band, Music Appreciation, Theory and Harmony

EMMA STULTS
B.S., Miami University
German I, German II, German III

GEORGE G. THOMAS
B.A., Eastern Kentucky State College
English I, English II

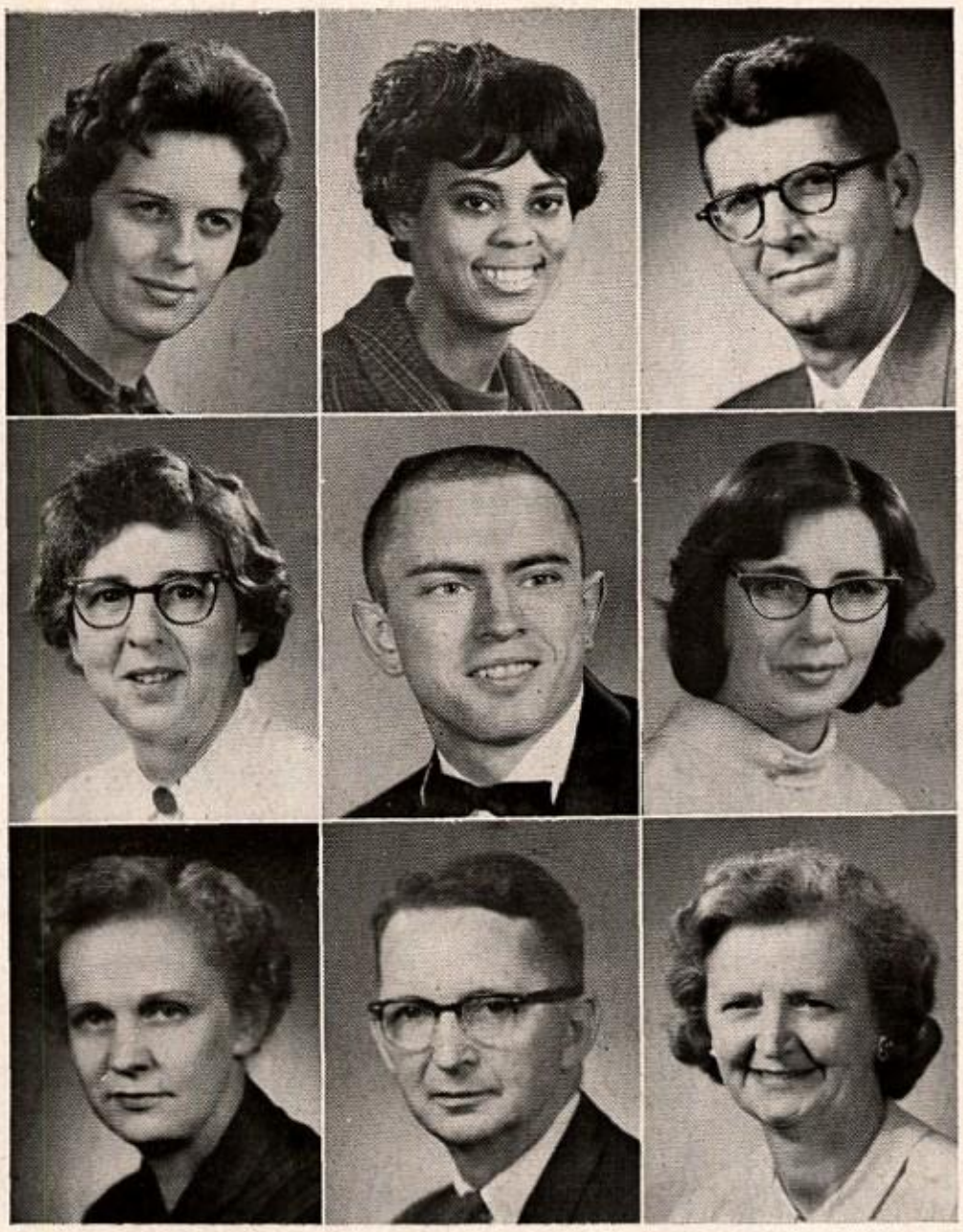
JOSEPHINE C. THOMAS
B.A., Otterbein
Home Economics

SANDRA TOPPER
B.S. in Bus. Ed., Miami University
Notehand, Shorthand I, Typing I

SCIENCE is the knowledge of facts possessed by study and practice. A study of science helps a student develop objective reasoning, an ability to see the over-all significance of data and a better understanding of himself and his environment. Many opportunities, such as Chemistry I and II, Physics I and II, biology, zoology, physiology, and health, are available to the M.H.S. student in our Science Department. Physics offer a study of matter and energy giving the student a chance to apply his mathematics in theoretical problems.

Randy Pohjola and Paula Noblet begin the next step in their specific heat experiment as Mr. Kleinfelder advises on the procedure.

The various available fields of Science



VICKY VAN HORN
B.S., Manchester College
Business English, Typing I, Typing II

VICKY VICTOR
B.S. in Ed., Central State College
Physical Education

PAUL C. WALKER
B.S., Western Kentucky
M.A., Xavier University
Health, Basketball

HELEN WEINBERGER
B.S., Miami University
Choir, General Music

HORACE A. WILKINSON
B.S. in Sec. Ed., Manchester College
Accounting I, Practical Bookkeeping

MARY LOU WILLIAMS
B.A., Georgetown College
English II

DOROTHY E. WILSON
B.S., Ohio University
Cincinnati Art Academy
Art II, Art III, Art IV

CLYDE YOCOM
B.A., Ohio Wesleyan University
M.A., Miami University
Chemistry I, Chemistry II

IDA ZECHER
A.B., Ohio University
Latin II

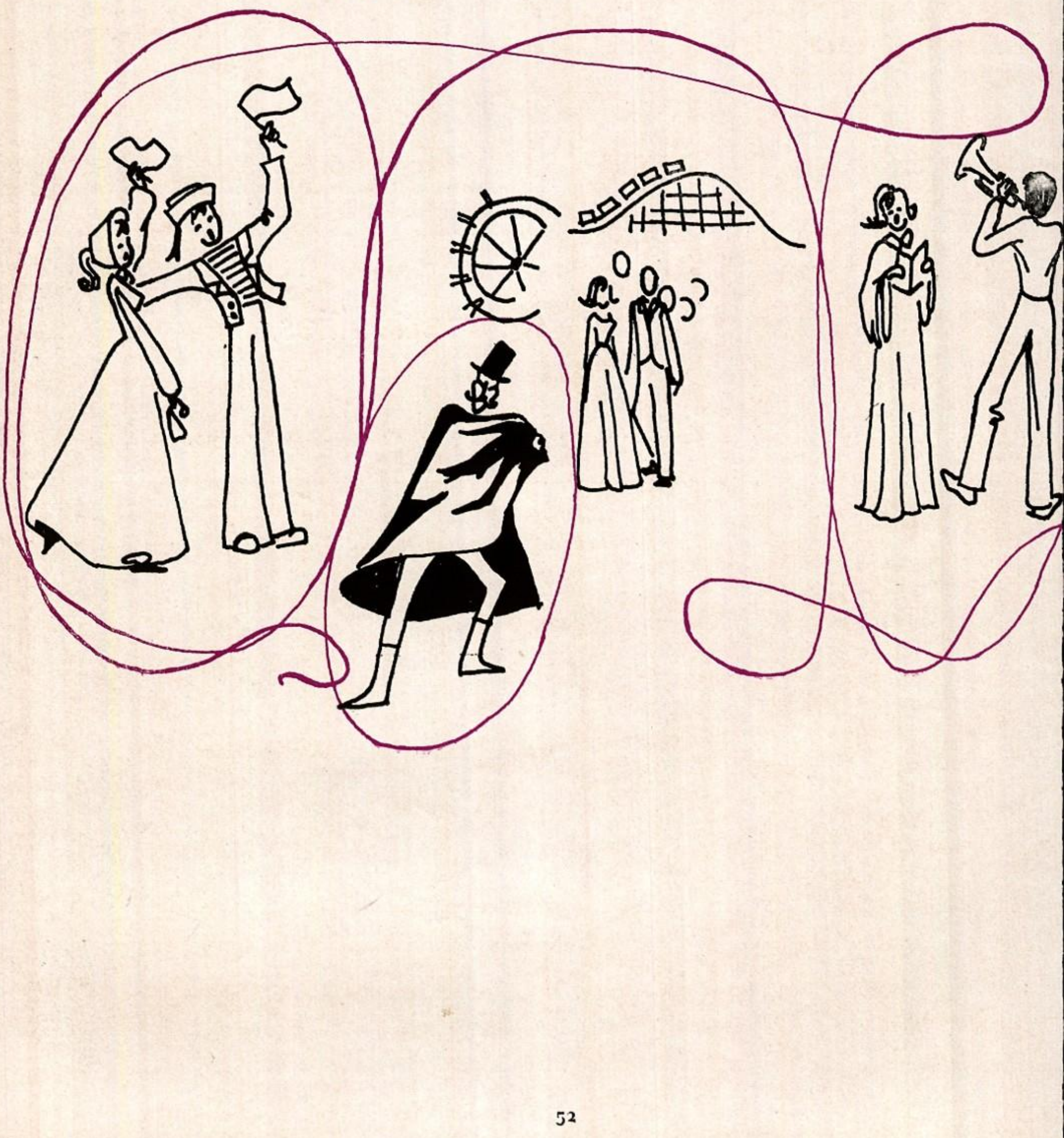
Biology, a study of plant and animal life, gives the student his first experience in dissecting specimens of fish, frogs, worms, and crayfish. Zoology is the study of animals and their relations to others in the animal kingdom. Physiology is the detailed study of the human body, its organs, functions, and reproduction. Health is the study of the body as to how the individual can stay and remain strong, healthy, and happy. The science teachers, with Mr. D. C. Yocom as head of the department, and their well-equipped laboratories are assets to our high school.

Judy Wagoner and Liz Zornes perform a distillation experiment in the laboratory as Mr. Eddins supervises.

gave the student unlimited opportunities.

In zoology class Esther Hawkins, Randy Walton, Gary Weikel, Jim McNeice, Joe Luibel, Georgia Alexander, Mike Lawson and Evelyn Yeggy begin dissection of preserved dog-fish sharks.

Versatile Middies Spend Countles



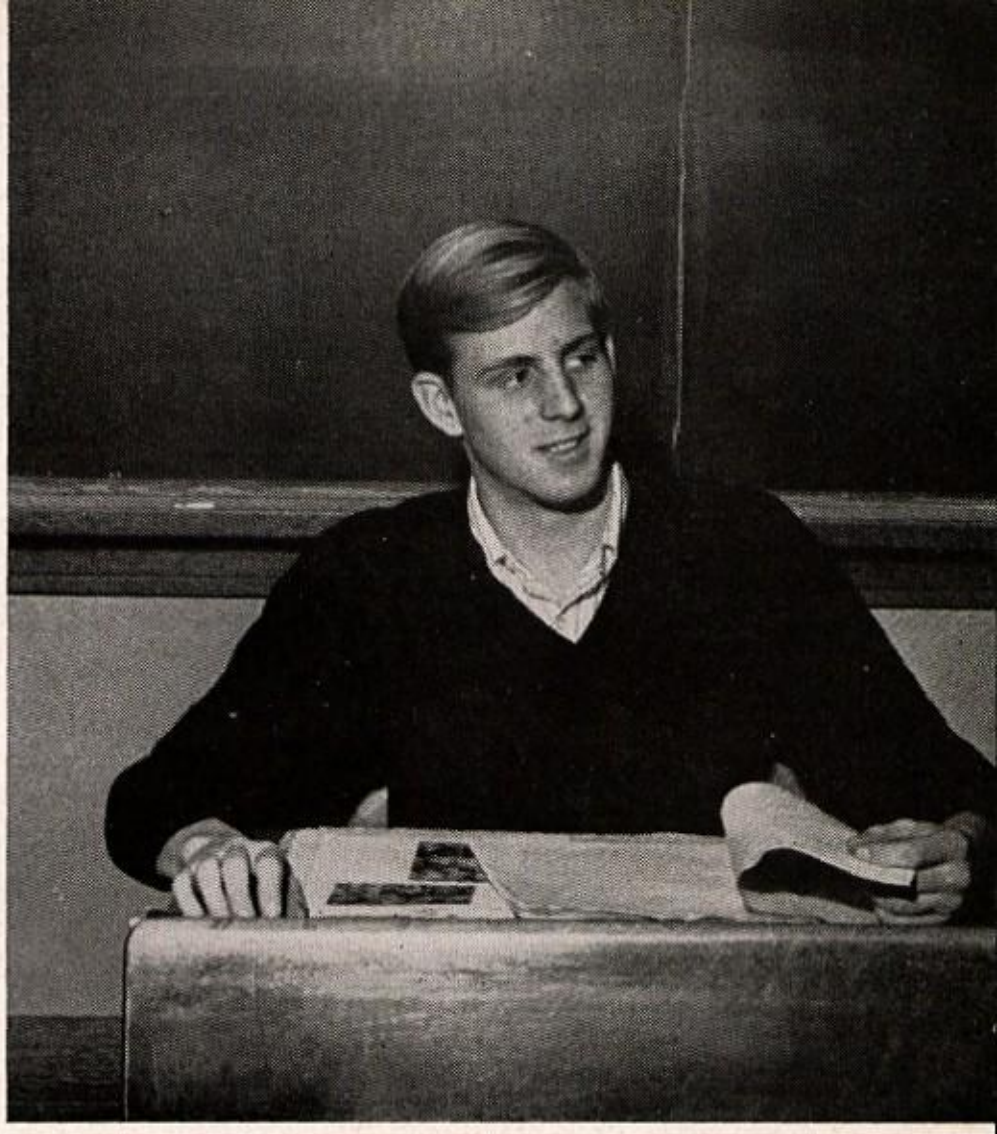
Moments in Extra-curricular Activities

MAJOR OPTIMIST STAFF: *Sitting* — Barb Maxwell, feature; Theresa Graham, academics; Miss Veda McCray, adviser; Rex Bevis, editor-in-chief; Carolyn Heckard, art; Jim Herr, sports. *Standing* — Jim Barnett, advertising; Patti Fruauff, activities; Pam McNabb, class; Bill Thorn, business manager; Joe Baker, circulation manager; Cathy Little, literary.

The Optimist crew spent many long hours in creating

CLASS STAFF: *Seated* — Sharon Johnson, Editor Pam McNabb. *Standing* — Bev Selby, Joyce Snethen, Karen Duvall, Polly Brown, Penny Brewer, Ruth Beall.

THE MAJOR OPTIMIST STAFF, still ignorant of the magnitude of the task before us, met in September to decide upon the main theme for the 1965 book. After much deliberation and discussion the theme "Middie Moments" was chosen. Little did the editors realize the trials, tribulations, and hard work that lay ahead. However, with the aid of our experienced and capable adviser, Miss Veda McCray, figuring pictures with her trusty old slide rule, Mac faithfully snapping the shutter, and our industrious business manager Bill Thorn doing all sorts of odd jobs, we managed to produce our book and have some fun in the process. Editor Rex Bevis was always wandering around keeping a watchful eye on the progress and offering suggestions. Pam McNabb and her class staff undertook the first major job early in October. Months of cutting, identifying and mounting hundreds of sophomore, junior, and senior pictures followed before they could put away their rubber cement and rollers. Jim Herr's sports staff swung into action with the opening kickoff of the football season.



Editor Rex Bevis thoughtfully makes plans while studying the dummy.

a Middie memento, valued by students in future years.

ADVERTISING STAFF: *1st Row* — Patti Sexton, Sharon Wells, Editor Jim Barnett. *2nd Row* — Nancy Halderman, Carole Senf, Jeff Ireland, Mike Lamb. *3rd Row* — Candy Schroff, Walter Crenshaw, Martin Egelston, Judy Mullins. *4th Row* — Sharon Bennington, Dianne Drake.

ACADEMIC STAFF: *Seated* — Marilyn Keister, Theresa Gaynor. *Standing* — Monda Kibrige, Dulcy Schueler, Editor Theresa Graham.

ART STAFF: Betsy Zecher, Sandy Hughes, Hope Neuenswander, Bob Hayden, Editor Carolyn Heckard, Sandy Sebald, Beverlie Moon, Rhudy Beasley.

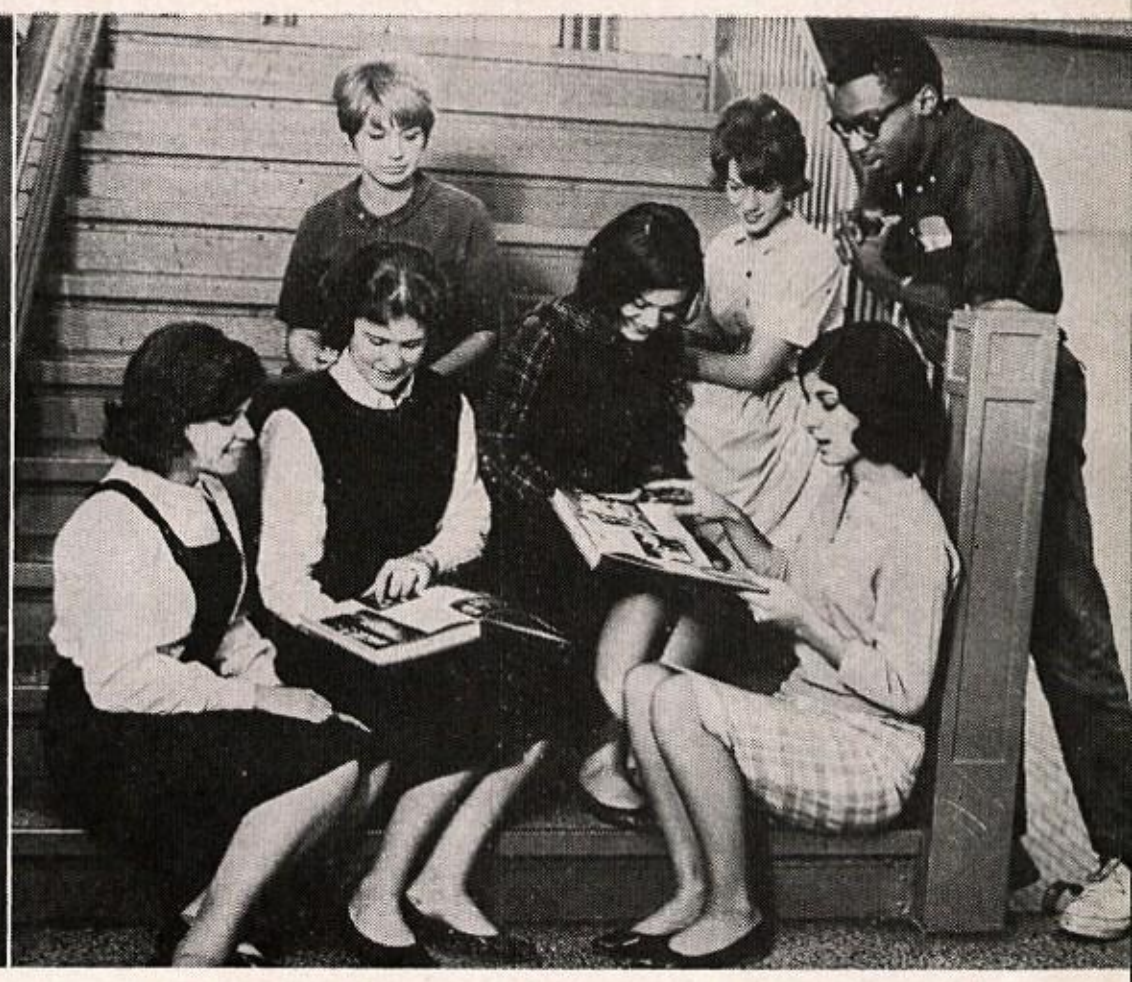
ACTIVITIES STAFF: Pam Goetz, Jenny Boxwell, Editor Patti Fruauff, Rick Hayes, Debbie Letts, Laura Leigh.

A combination of skill and

A new record was set in the fall sales campaign led by circulation manager Joe Baker, while the advertising staff, led by Jim Barnett, went all out to secure the many ads needed. The art staff, headed by Carolyn Heckard, was kept busy turning out cartoons for the opening section and division pages. Activities Editor Patti Fruauff and her staff did their best to tell the story of extra-curricular life at M.H.S., while the literary staff, under Cathy Little, struggled with the class poem. The academics staff, led by Theresa Graham, was responsible for the section on the faculty and subjects taught.

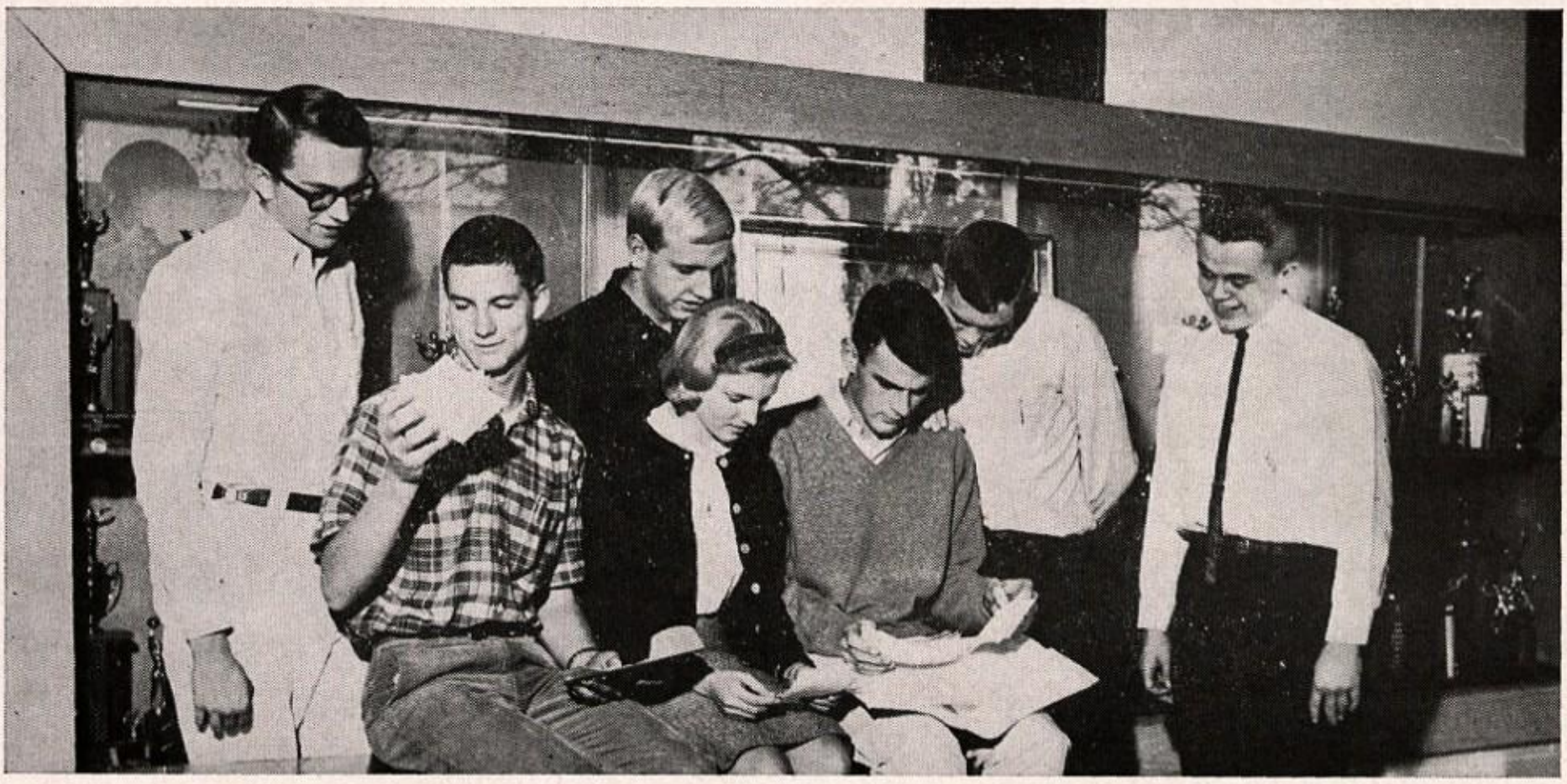
Perhaps the most difficult job of all was handled by Barb Maxwell and the feature staff. Their responsibility was the opening section of the book in which the major ideas of our theme were to be expressed by means of appropriate pictures and copy. Shirley Barrett, Marcia Farmer, Ginny Smithson, Wendy McGuire, Linda Howard, and Debbie McGill, our indispensable typists, faithfully pounded the keys, typing and retyping the many pages of copy, and have our deepest appreciation. When the last of the book had been sent to the printer, we all heaved a sigh of relief hoping that you enjoy the 1965 Optimist.

LITERARY STAFF: *Sitting* — George Hutchinson, Karen Trueblood. *Standing* — Editor Cathy Little, Ron Leger, Elaine Dannis, Ann Agee.



FEATURE STAFF: Karen Trueblood, Editor Barbara Maxwell, Judy Amburgey, Emma Gillespie, Beverly Profitt, Helen Sarris, Clarence Page.

diligent effort resulted in a book full of memories.



SPORTS STAFF: David Szabo, Rick Waxweiler, Steve Lewis, Chery Deisler, Editor James Herr, Bob Warnock, Jerry McCandless.

QUILL AND SCROLL: *Seated* — Lynn Withey, Karen Duvall, Kathy Riesz, Betsy Cole, Patti Fruauff. *Standing* — Adviser Mrs. Mary Kindell, Clarence Page, Celia Bessel, Nancy Lorig, David Szabo.

Other journalistic organizations also contributed

QUILL AND SCROLL is the international honorary society for high school journalists. The Middletown chapter was founded in 1949 by Miss Eldridge. Membership in this organization is limited to juniors and seniors who rank scholastically in the upper third of their class and have done outstanding work on school publications. The emblem of Quill and Scroll symbolizes journalistic contributions to the records of mankind. The Biblical quotation: "Ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free" is the motto of the society. This spring, for the first time, Quill and Scroll sponsored a Publications Banquet for all staff members of the *Optimist*, *Middletonian*, and *White and Purple Magazine*. At the banquet a second group of Quill and Scroll members were initiated. Officers for Quill and Scroll were elected from the original ten members chosen in February. They were Kathy Riesz, president, and Lynn Withey, secretary-treasurer.

THE WHITE AND PURPLE MAGAZINE, one of the new features of the '64 - '65 school year, consisted of three issues. For each of these Editor Jenny Boxwell and Adviser Mrs. Barbara Schick spent many frustrating moments. The cover and other sketches were done by art editors, Beverlie Moon and Barbara Maxwell. Ginny Smithson struggled through many days of mimeographing. Many of Mrs. Vicki Van Horn's typing class members are credited with the typing.

This magazine included themes, essays, short stories, poems, jokes, and even some art work. The various teachers submitted literary work. Any student or faculty member was allowed to contribute. The literary staff of the magazine then criticized the material and chose the best selections for publication. Mr. Barr printed the covers and lent the use of his print shop for assembling. Each page was lined up and the manual labor began. "Tender loving care" went into each issue with the blessing of all the staff.

Typist Ginny Smithson is swamped with the work given her by Editor Jenny Boxwell, Adviser Mrs. Barbara Schick, Barb Maxwell, and Beverlie Moon.

excellent work to the list of Middie publications.

WHITE AND PURPLE STAFF: Robert Liljestrand, Carole Senf, Karen Schrock, Barbara Maxwell, Beverlie Moon, Editor Jenny Boxwell, Ric Fraunfelter, Cathy Little, Ron Leger, Karen Trueblood, Betsy Cole.

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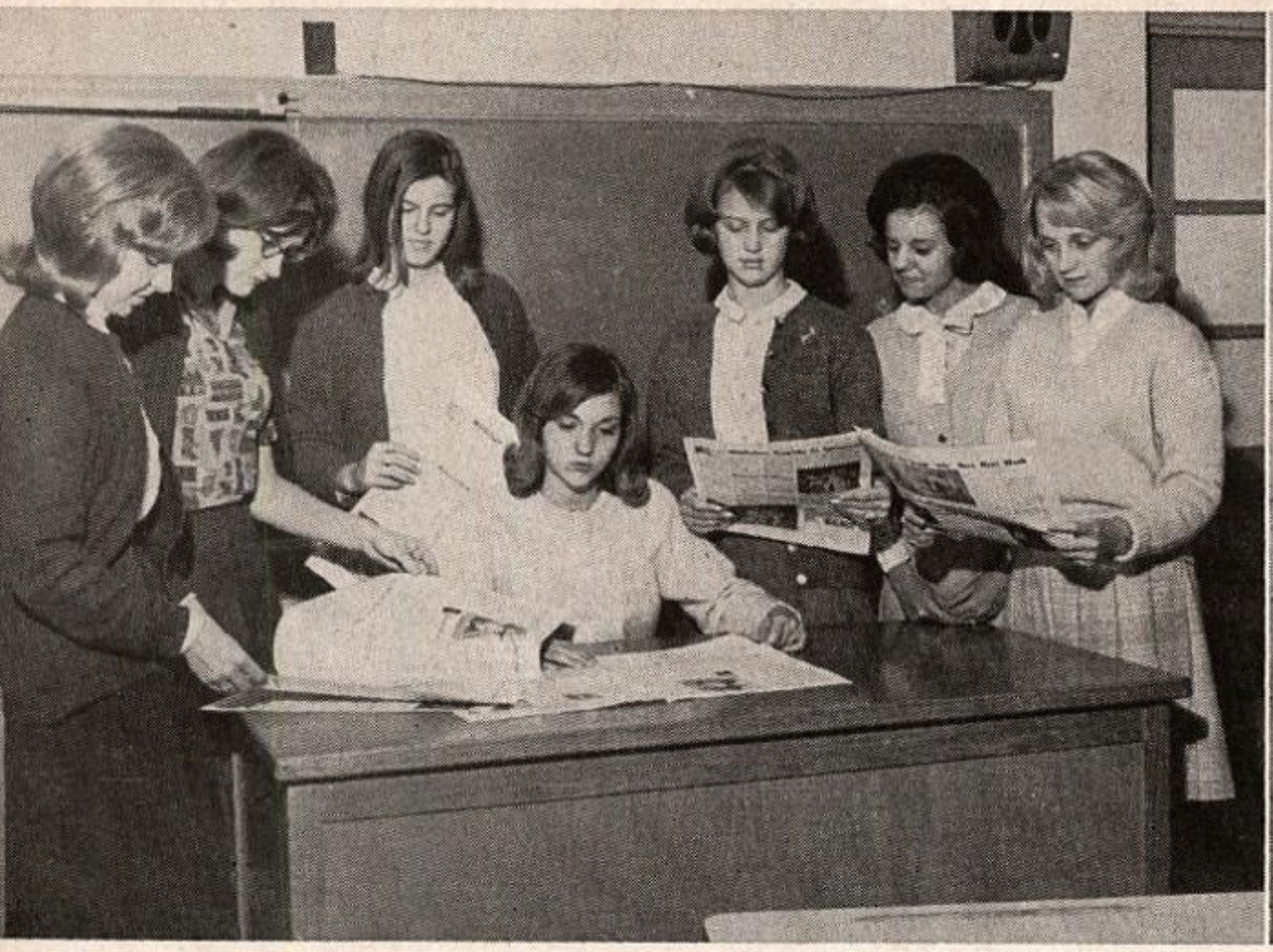

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information, while humorous features amused everyone.

THE MIDDLETONIAN, a member of the National Scholastic Press Association, Student Press, and International Quill and Scroll, is M.H.S.'s biweekly newspaper. Under the supervision of Mrs. Mary Kindell and Editor-in-chief Kathy Riesz, each editor and his staff attempted to make the Middletonian informative and interesting. Regular features such as "Ola from Marli," "Page's Page," and "Speaking of Sports" were the result of hard work and creative ability. As editor-in-chief, Kathy Riesz had the final responsibility of getting each issue to press. News Editor Lynne Withey was responsible for setting up a front page filled with current news. David Szabo was always busy trying to keep up with too many sports activities, while Feature Editor Clarance Page had the brain-teasing task of thinking up countless original assignments for his staff. Without the aid of Kay Finkelman, Judy Mullins, Judy Richards, and their respective staffs: advertising, circulation and exchange, the *Middletonian* couldn't have been so successful. Much appreciation goes to all the hardworking individuals, especially the typists who spent long hours typing articles.

SUBSCRIPTION STAFF: Peggy Johnson, Editor Patti Sexton, Judy Danner, Shirley Barrett.

Libby Sant serves coffee to Marli Goncalez at the A.F.S. dinner while Kim Winget carries a tray to the table.

STUDENT COUNCIL, one of the most active organizations of the high school, was involved in many worthwhile projects around the school. At the beginning of the year, they distributed to each student a handbook explaining the procedures and activities of the high school. After careful consideration, Student Council also decided to change the traditional class ring to a more modern one.

Student Council's most extensive project during the year was Homecoming. Weeks of planning and execution went into the preparation for the final event. This year for each of the ten queen candidates elected by the senior boys, a senior escort was chosen by the senior girls to run the various campaigns as well as escort the candidates. A special assembly was arranged to introduce the candidates to the student body. Float and Dance Committees spent hours in the construction and assembling of decorations for the huge truck, which carried the couples after the crowning at halftime, and for the dance after the game which feted the Queen. At the dance Queen Ginger Osborne was introduced and presented a small gold football to help keep for her the memory of one of the greatest highlights of her senior year.

Student Council added to their numerous achievements

STUDENT COUNCIL OFFICERS: *Sitting* — Jenny Boxwell, secretary. *Standing* — Patti Fruauff, treasurer; Rick Hayes, vice president; Ann Agee, president.

Student Council members work industriously stuffing frames for Homecoming float decorations.

by accepting more responsibilities of school life.

STUDENT COUNCIL engaged in a money-making project for the first time this year. Between Thanksgiving and Christmas, Council members toted their candy sacks with them everywhere trying to sell a few more boxes. A stand was also set up outside the cafeteria to tempt hungry students and teachers into buying candy for dessert. Almost five hundred dollars in profits contributed to making Student Council the wealthiest organization in the school. Much of the money from candy sales will be used to support next year's A.F.S. student. Student Council members also aided the Middletown Chapter of American Field Service by serving at a chili-spaghetti dinner to earn more money.

The Scholastic Banquet was another project undertaken by the industrious Student Council. Besides mailing invitations to the top 10% of the sophomore, junior and senior classes and their parents, student council was responsible for arranging and setting the tables attractively. Several Student Council members participated in the program which featured as guest speaker Robert A. Taft.

Student Council candy chairmen — Judy Danner, Patti Fruauff and Dave Ortman — industriously figure the daily profits.

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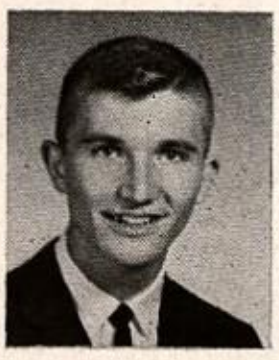

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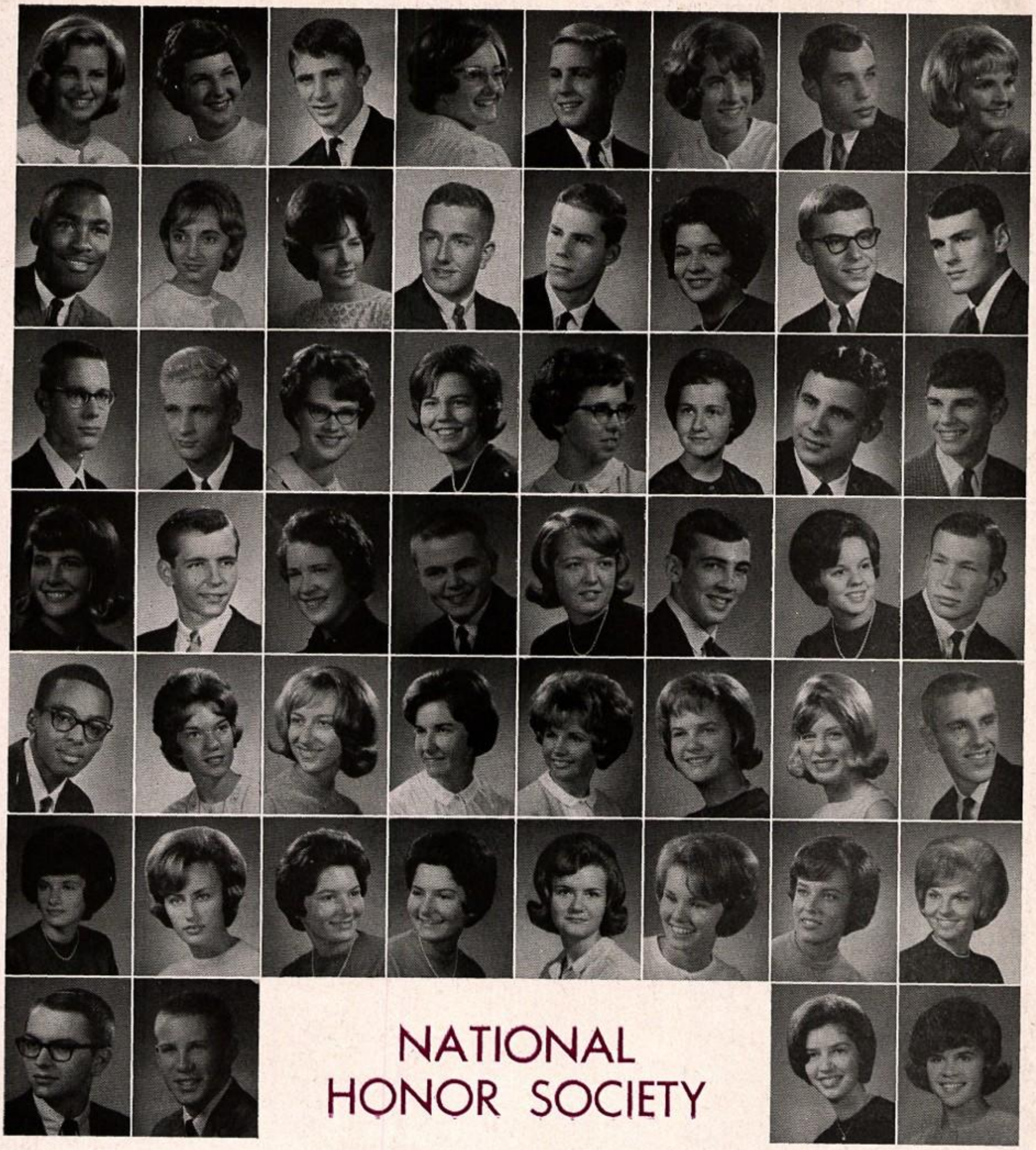


NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

N.H.S. MEMBERS: *1st Row* — Ann Agee, Beth Banzhaf, James Barnett, Christine Bergdall, Rex Bevis, Penny Brewer, Rod Cornella, Chery Deisler. *2nd Row* — Bruce Domineck, Karen Duvall, Gail Flatter, Larry Fosse, Ric Fraunfelter, Emma Gillespie, Rick Hayes, Jim Herr. *3rd Row* — Don Imhoff, Jeff Ireland, Marilyn Jacobs, Sharon Johnson, Marilyn Keister, Sandra Kilburn, Mike Lamb, Rick Leichty. *4th Row* — Laura Leigh, Scott Leonard, Barbara Maxwell, Jerry McCandless, Pam McNabb, Jim Merrick, Hope Neuenswander, Dave Ortman. *5th Row* — Clarence Page, Beverly Profitt, Brenda Redkey, Kathy Riesz, Patty Rogers, Candy Schroff, Carole Senf, David Sixt. *6th Row* — Stephanie Slamka, Ginny Smithson, Jean Snethen, Joyce Snethen, Connie Sorrell, Donna Speigle, Nancy Stein, Patty Stephens. *7th Row* — David Szabo, Ken Thomas, Nancy Tier, Karen Trueblood.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY was started in 1921, but the Middletown Chapter was not formed until 1936. A student must be in the upper third of his class to be considered for membership in this national organization. Prospective members are then judged by the faculty on Character, Scholarship, Leadership, and attributes of Service. Twenty-seven juniors were inducted into the National Honor Society last spring. From these Robert Liljestrand was elected president; Karen Schrock, vice-president; Elaine Dannis, secretary; Bill Thorn, treasurer. These members, under the supervision of Mrs. Louise McBain, tapped fifty-two new members last fall.

Y-Teen Cabinet: *Sitting* — Elaine Dannis, Carolyn Heckard, Libby Sant, Miss Veda McCray, Helen Sarris, Eloise Truss. *Standing* — Patti Sexton, Emma Gillespie, Karen Trueblood, Dianne Easton, Pam Goetz, Cathy Little, Laura Leigh, Bev Profitt, Jenny Boxwell, Ruth Beall, Janice Williams.

By serving their community Y-Teens develop a sense

THE Y-TEENS chose "The Star of a Y-Teen" as their theme at the annual officers' retreat at Camp Luella May. The weekly programs were then planned to coincide with the topics of Religion, Love, Character, Wisdom, and Service.

The Y-Teen Cabinet is composed of the president and program chairman from each of the eight triangles: Delta, Epsilon, Gamma, Iota, Lambda, Omega, Rho and Sigma. Elected to serve as president of this executive body was Libby Sant, and as secretary Helen Sarris.

During the traditional candlelight service explaining the meaning and purpose of Y-Teens, nearly one hundred sophomores were formally initiated as each lighted her candle from a large one representing the light of Christ. The following week they were informally initiated at their individual triangle meetings.

The traditional Sweetheart Dance for senior Y-Teens and their escorts was held in the Great Hall of the Episcopal Church which was beautifully decorated with large paper hearts and streamers.

Dave Ortman is crowned King by Libby Sant at the annual Sweetheart Dance as Laura Leigh and Ed Hiteshue look on.

Y-Teen Formal Initiation: *Clockwise* — Libby Sant, Dianne Easton, Patti Sexton, Cathy Little, Karen Trueblood, Patty Stephens, Janice Williams, Beverly Selby, Ruthie Beall, Beverly Profitt, Patti Fruauff, Carolyn Heckard, Helen Sarris, Elaine Dannis, Jenny Boxwell, Karen Schrock, Carol Watts, Laura Leigh, Emma Gillespie, Pam Goetz, Nancy Stein.

of responsibility and make lasting friendships.

Another annual event was the Y-Teen style show under the direction of Mrs. Harrison. Spring fashions were modeled to the narration provided by Debbie Letts and Karen Schrock. Decorations illustrated a colorful carnival theme. The clothes were furnished by McAlpin's.

A basic service of Y-Teens is participation in such community drives as Cancer, Muscular Dystrophy, Crippled Children, Polio, Cerebral Palsy, Heart, and Mental Health. Each Y-Teen triangle is responsible for some money-raising project. From this money each club donates a Thanksgiving basket to a needy family; they also contribute a large amount to the Orphans' Home in Hamilton and to the A.F.S. fund.

All Y-Teen triangles competed for prizes in the second Rhythm Roundup, a hootenanny to raise money for A.F.S., by singing one originally composed song and two others. Sports Night, World Day of Prayer, the Mother-Daughter Tea, and the farewell party for seniors also helped the Y-Teens, under the supervision of Miss Veda McCray, have another outstanding year.

Ornaments, decorated with money to be sent overseas, are placed on the tree by Y-Teen members Beverly Selby, Libby Sant and Patti Sexton.

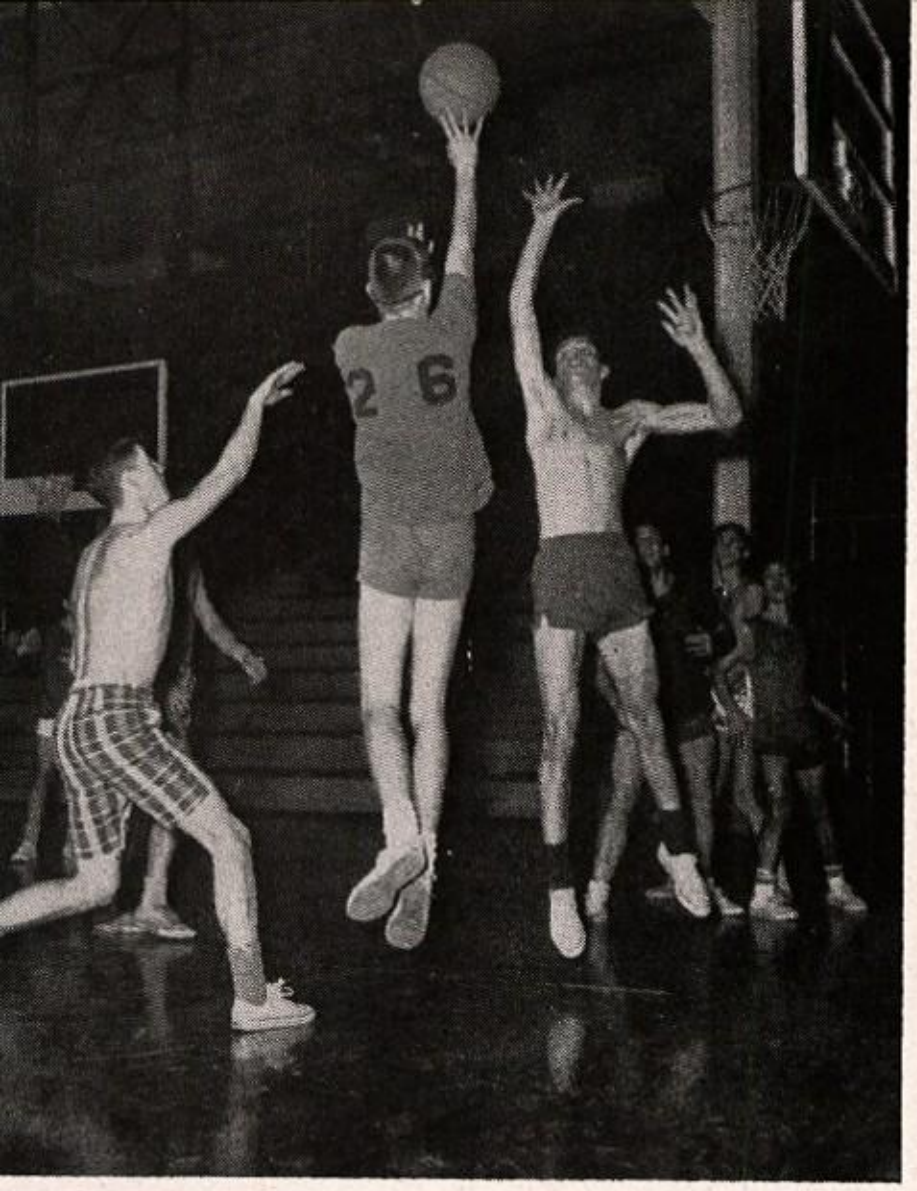
HI-Y COUNCIL: *Sitting* — Jim Barnett, John Mail, Rod Cornella, Don Dennis, Rick Waxweiler, Robbie Dell. *Standing* — Bill Thorn, Jim Merrick, Bill Ledford, Mike Young, Bob Kinney, David Yocom, Joe Osborne, John Brooks, Bob Lucas, Ford Martin.

Hi-Y clubs better the civic spirit through hours of

DELEGATES TO YOUTH IN GOVERNMENT, Rex Bevis, Jim Barnett, Jim McFillen, Greg Gardner, Jim Stiver, and Mike Detcher, study information about their upcoming trip.

HI-Y this year was composed of ten clubs: Circle, Flame, Impala, Lotus, Malibu, Miami, Olympian, Panther, Torch and Triangle. These clubs continued to be separated according to their respective classes. The Hi-Y Council consisted of two representatives from each club. Elected to serve as officers of this executive body were Rod Cornella, president; Rick Waxweiler, vice-president; Don Dennis, secretary; John Mail, treasurer; and Sam Steadman, chaplain.

The purpose of Hi-Y is "to create, maintain, and extend throughout the school, home, and community high standards of living." Once a student joins, he must build his life on four planks — clean living, clean speech, clean sportsmanship, and clean scholarship. Local Hi-Y Clubs are quite active in community work. This year they were engaged in many worthwhile projects to help in the community and to promote school spirit.



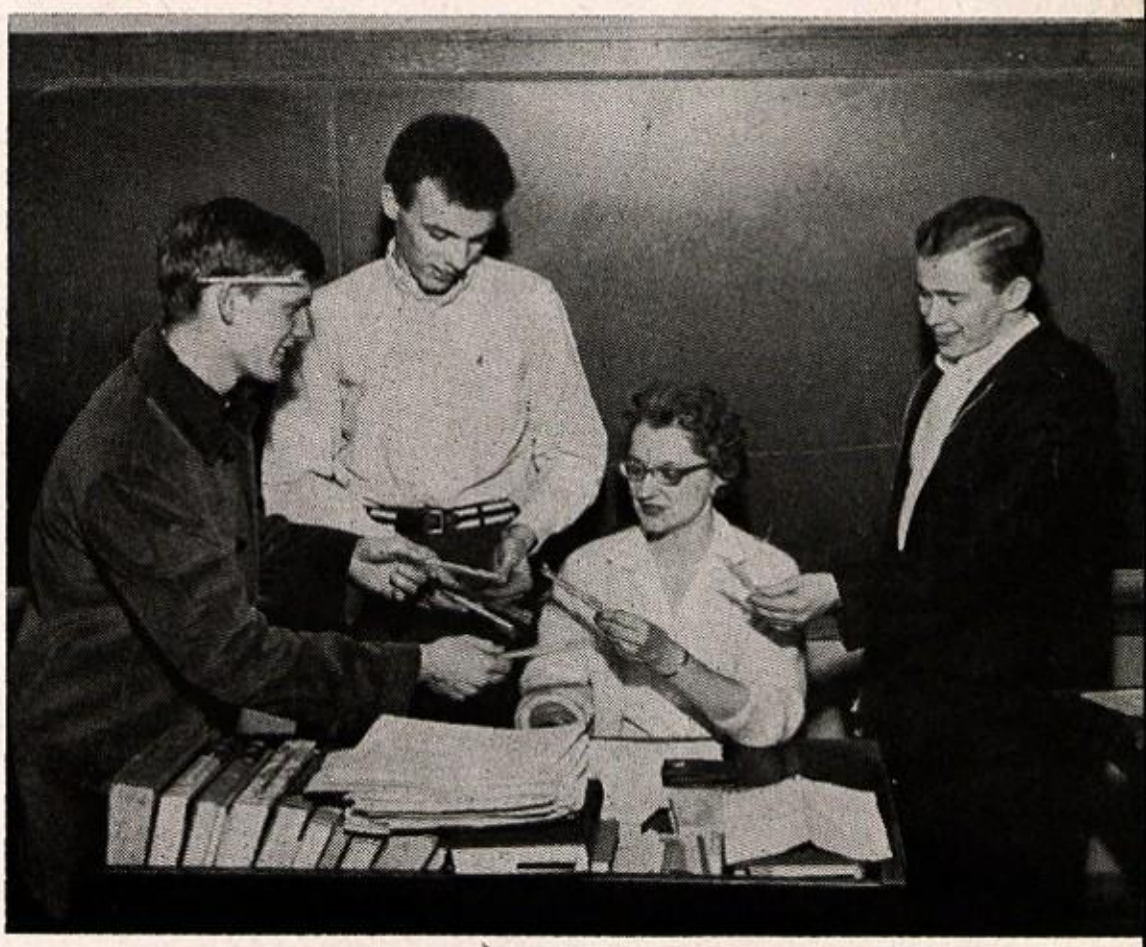
Exciting basketball games provided competition among the Hi-Y's.

HI-Y BASKETBALL aroused the competitive spirit among the clubs through exciting tournament games. From early in December until the final game in February, the teams played once a week and tried their utmost to be champs. The clubs were split into two leagues with Torch Hi-Y, the champs of one league, and Malibu Hi-Y, tops in the other. Torch Hi-Y defeated Malibu in the play-off, 60-54, to win the Hi-Y basketball championship. High point man for the game was David Cook of the Malibu team with 23. Mike Croake and Bob Warnock connected with 18 apiece for the winning team. Torch, a senior Hi-Y, proudly boasted of their win for the remainder of the year. Charles Rice, teacher of boys' physical education, was league supervisor.

active participation in several service projects.

HI-Y CLUBS this year sponsored a Christmas party for the underprivileged children. Ed Hiteshue played Santa Claus and gave presents to forty children. They also worked with the Y-Teens and Mr. Ed Payne on the Rhythm Round-up to raise funds for the A.F.S. They made posters and participated in a parade promoting the school bond issue. Again this year the Hi-Y's participated in the Youth in Government program at Columbus. During their stay in Columbus delegates took part in a mock legislature to gain knowledge of the workings of government. As a money-raising project several Hi-Y's engaged in the making and selling of toothbrushes for Dental Health Week. An even more popular and successful means of earning money were the dances held at the YMCA featuring a variety of local combos.

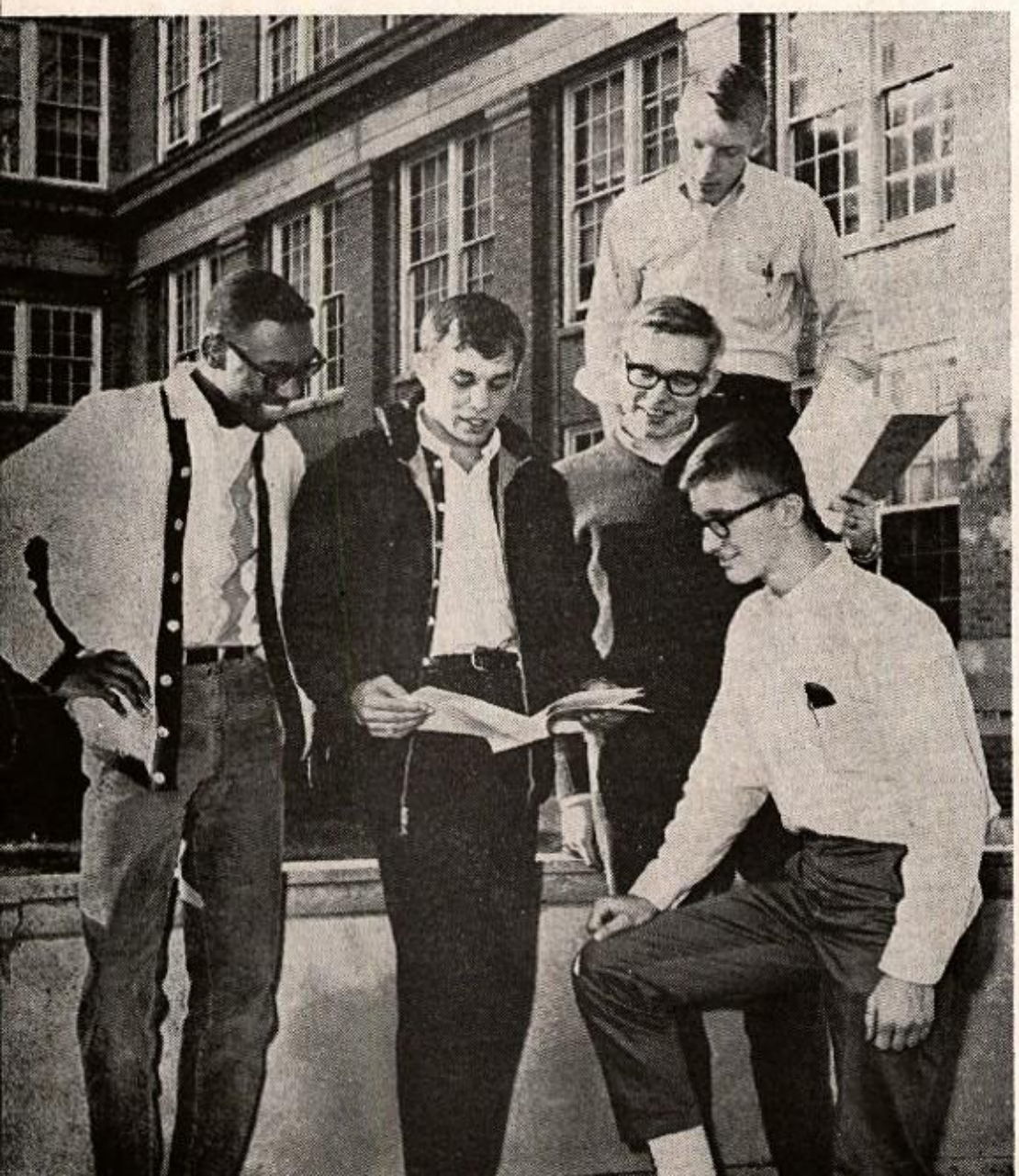
Hi-Y members, Don Dennis, Bob Callahan, and David Yocom, swamp Mrs. Schick with toothbrushes.



Boys' Staters Dave Sixt, Rod Cornella, Clarence Page, Butch Crenshaw and Robert Liljestrand take time out to look at pamphlets and reminisce.

Boys' and Girls' State taught delegates the principles

BUCKEYE BOYS' STATE REPRESENTATIVES — Bruce Domineck, Rod Cornella, Joe Baker, Butch Crenshaw, and Bob Liljestrand — look through Boys' State manual.



BUCKEYE BOYS' STATE, held on the campus of Ohio University at Athens, Ohio, is designed to give each individual a sense of his personal role and obligation in the government of our country and to inspire active citizenship through a knowledge of the mechanics of government; this is initiated by a mythical state run by 1300 boys from all parts of Ohio. These boys set up their own government, hold conventions, party caucuses, primary and general elections, and perform the duties of their elected or appointed offices.

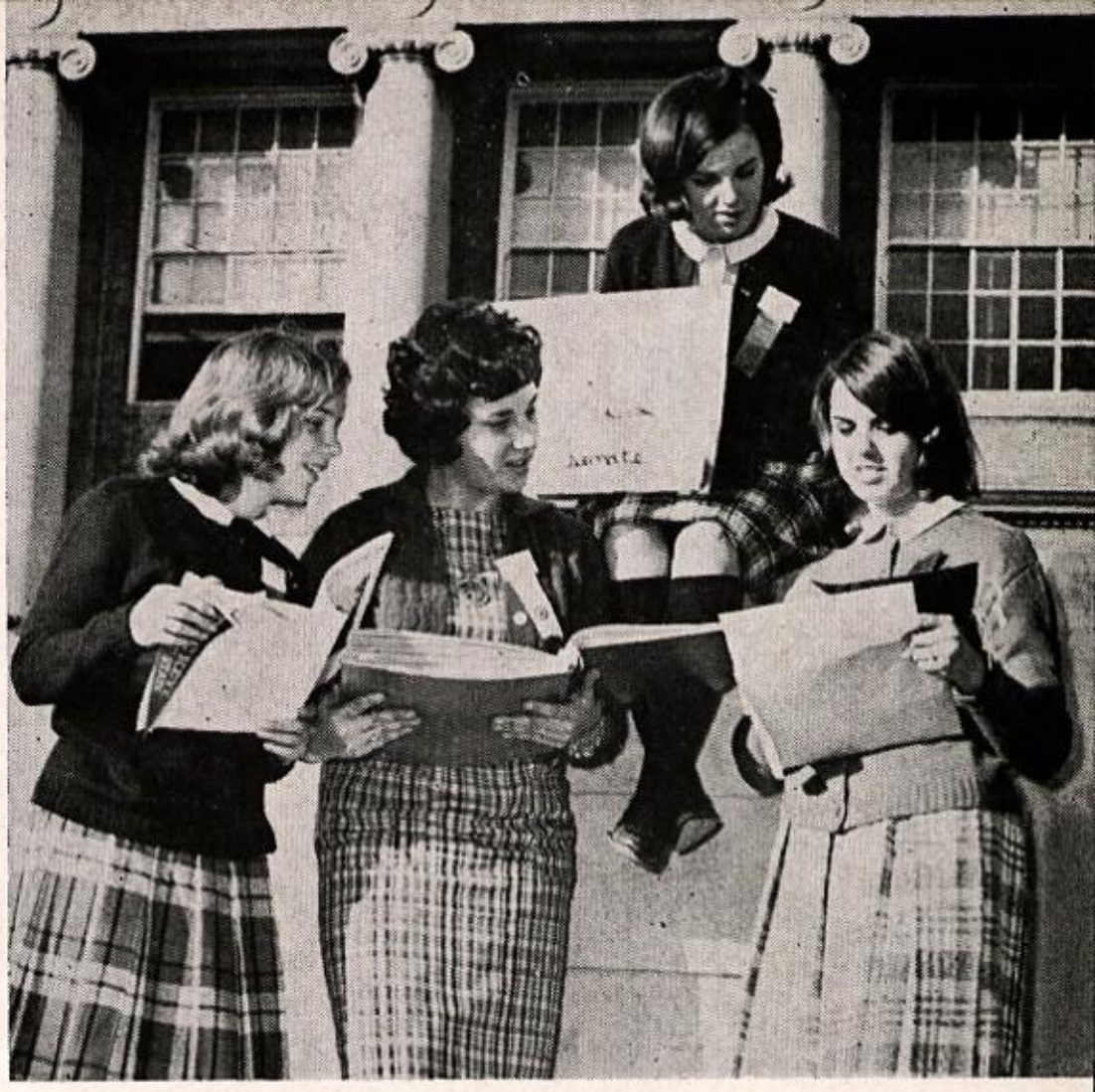
Last spring six Middletown High School junior boys were selected to attend the Twenty-seventh Annual Buckeye Boys' State. These delegates were chosen by the M.H.S. faculty on the basis of scholarship, service, character, and ability to get along with others.

Those from M.H.S. who attended were Joe Baker, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare of Konold County; Rod Cornella, Treasurer of Cobb City; Butch Crenshaw, Councilman of Gardner City; Bruce Domineck, Senator from Hartpence City; Bob Liljestrand, Representative from Bettman City; and David Sixt, Director of Sanitation of Suhr City.

While they were there, they had the privilege to hear such speakers as C. William O'Neill, Chief Justice of the Ohio Supreme Court; James A. Rhodes, Governor of Ohio; and Jerry Lucas, Cincinnati Royals' basketball star and former Boys' Stater from M.H.S.

THE EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL BUCKEYE GIRLS' STATE was held June 20-29, 1964, on the campus of Capitol University, Columbus, Ohio. The delegates were selected by the faculty of Middletown High School and sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary. The program is designed to teach the processes of democracy in American government through actual participation.

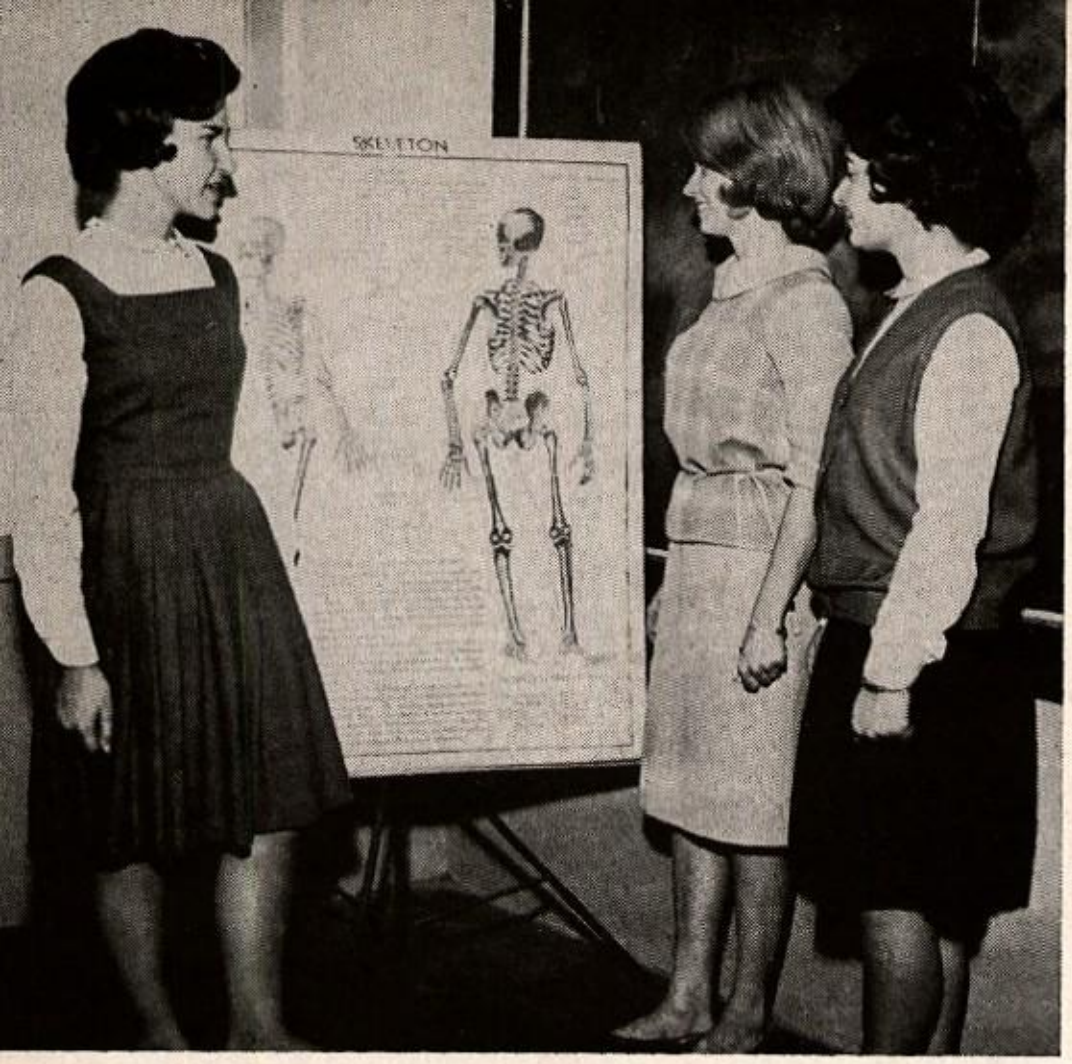
For nine days the Buckeye Girls' Staters petitioned for candidacy, filed statements, carried on campaigns, held primary and general elections, listened to guest speakers, fulfilled the duties of their offices, toured the city of Columbus, and made many new and lasting friends. These girls from M.H.S. who took part in the mock state government were Patti Fruauff, member of the State Board of Education; Janet Kesselring, State Representative; Debbie Letts, Senator; and Libby Sant, State Representative.



Buckeye Girls' State Representatives, Libby Sant, Janet Kesselring, Debbie Letts, and Patti Fruauff, look at information and campaigning material brought back from Girls' State.

of state government through actual participation.

Explaining their various duties to each other and remembering all the hilarious experiences are Buckeye Girls' Staters Patti Fruauff, Debbie Letts and Janet Kesselring.



NIGHTINGALE Officers: Kathy Riesz, secretary; Patti Sexton, president; Joyce Snethen, vice president.

THE NIGHTINGALE CLUB is composed of girls interested in any phase of medicine as a career. Under the supervision of Miss Barbara Hayes, the girls studied first aid and made trips to different nursing schools. Seven new committees were formed this year when the club was reorganized. The chairmen of these and the officers made up the Advisory Council.

The Junior Gray Ladies, who are sponsored by the Red Cross, take an active part in community volunteer work at the Middletown Hospital. These girls aid the hospital staff by delivering mail, newspapers, and flowers. They run errands for the staff members and patients. Reading and writing letters for patients is a common duty of the Junior Gray Ladies as well as admitting and dismissing patients.

The Candystripers, another community volunteer organization, work in the Children's Ward at the Middletown Hospital. Their main duty is to keep the children occupied by playing with toys and games, but they also help serve the meals to the children.

Vocational clubs helped interested Middies plan for

Ruth Beall, treasurer of Nightingale, delivers flowers to a patient — one of her duties as a Junior Gray Lady.

Candystripers, Kristi Lewis and Jan Wilmer, try to cheer up a young patient with various toys.

Betsy Cole obtains actual practice for her future profession by teaching at Central School.

future careers by exploring the various possibilities.

THE FUTURE TEACHERS OF AMERICA is an organization designed for those students planning to enter the field of education. This group is counseled by faculty adviser, Miss Katherine Roudebush. The club has an observation system in which the members participate in classroom activities. To observe teaching practices in the lower grades, FTA members went to various classes at Central School during one study hall each week. Here they were permitted to help teach the class.

One day during the year all members are permitted to visit the grade school of their choice to observe the teaching methods of several different teachers in different grades. This proved to be a very rewarding experience and helped many of the students decide which phase of teaching they wished to enter.

At the regular program meetings, the club is privileged to listen to various speakers from all the phases and levels of education. Through these programs students learn the opportunities, benefits, and problems of a career in the teaching field. The FTA club members also act as guides for the parents at the annual open house held at Middletown High School.

FTA Officers: *Standing* — Jean Snethen, secretary; Carolyn Heckard, vice president. *Sitting* — Carol Burdsall, treasurer; Elaine Dannis, president.

J. C. L. Officers Nancy Lorig, quaestor; Ric Fraunfelter, consul; Jim Barnett, Ohio J. C. L. president; Miss Veda McCray, adviser; Cathy Little, praetor; Beverly Selby, scriba make plans for the initiation.

Traditional customs and costumes play a major role

As a sacrifice to achievement, J. C. L. initiates drop apple seeds, representing daily lessons, into the fire of interest as Consul Ric Fraunfelter cuts the apples with the knife representing study.

Legionnaire Phil Husted serves the wine at the Annual Roman Banquet.

The play, *Androcles and the Lion*, provided entertainment following the dinner.

in the Roman banquet and the J.C.L. Initiation.

THE JUNIOR CLASSICAL LEAGUE is an organization of Latin students which promotes the study and understanding of Rome and its contributions to the modern world. Last summer fifteen members of JCL attended the National Latin Convention in Champaign-Urbana, Illinois. This four day convention combined discussions, speeches and films with social functions, everything being, of course, in the old Roman tradition. Beverly Selby was lucky enough to be chosen one of the JCL members from the United States to tour Europe and view the actual remains from the famous Roman civilization. Jim Barnett served as president of the Ohio State JCL for 1064-1965, and in March Dana Watts was elected to be the next Ohio State JCL president.

The Roman Banquet has always been the climax of activities for the Junior Classical League. One week before the event all sophomore Latin students are sold as slaves to the junior and senior Latin students. During the week the slaves were required to perform many duties both at school and away. The night of the banquet slaves were given their freedom. The altar, before which the gods were invoked, and the many columns added to make the banquet decorations impressively beautiful. Dancers and musicians entertained the guests all during the meal served in authentic Roman style. After the dinner skits were presented by students from the different classes.

Consul David Bell, with the aid of slaves Jerry McCandless, Richard Hackney, and David Raine, makes the offering of meal, salt, and wine to the household gods.

Members of the Spanish National Honor Society at the formal initiation.

Through various languages we develop an understanding

SPANISH NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY OFFICERS: Betsy Cole, president; Diane Cummings, treasurer; Jatana Vance, vice-president; Bruce Franz, secretary.

THE SPANISH NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY, sponsored by the American Association of Teachers of Spanish and Portuguese, was formally organized in 1953. The purpose of the society is to recognize those students who attained high achievements in Spanish and to promote a continuity of interest in Hispanic history. The M.H.S. chapter is named Los Escogidos which means *The Chosen Ones.*

On March 2, thirty-one new members — students who had maintained an A average for two semesters — were initiated into the society by reciting this code: "Como miembro del capitulo prometo dedicarme al estudio de la lengua espanola con el fin de dominarla algun dia recordando que una lengua puede ser unlazo furte entre personas de distintos origenes de raza o religion. Como ciudadano de mi patria prometo promover la amistad y entendimiento entre ella y los otros paises del mundo. Esta es mi promesa y mi juramento."

"EN FRANCE, comme si vous y etiez" was the theme beautifully carried out at the French Banquet last spring. This theme means "In France, as if you were there." Background decorations, table favors and menus presented the typical French atmosphere. The banquet was held April 29 in the high school cafeteria. Invited were all students presently taking French here at school; all ninth graders who were taking French at Manchester, McKinley and Roosevelt Junior High Schools; all French teachers; and any former French student who had at least one year of the language. A typically French dinner was served by garcons, as waiters in France are called, wearing white jackets.

French students who wished to have pen pals obtained their names from the Bureau de Correspondance Scolaire, College of Wooster at Wooster, Ohio. The names of both French and English students were sent there by their teachers along with their ages and interests. Then the names were matched according to this information. After obtaining a correspondent the student was obligated to write as soon as possible on such topics as his family, school, job, city, and country.

French students enjoy the pleasant atmosphere of a typical dinner.

of foreign cultures and appreciation of literary works.

Garcon Steve Tutt waits on Miss Roudebush and Mrs. Harper while the others at the head table converse in French.

President Rick Waxweiler turns over the microphone and program to Mrs. Terhune, guest speaker.

JUNIOR COUNCIL ON WORLD AFFAIRS was one of the most active and largest organizations in the school. Under the supervision of Mr. Berman Litton, members gained a better understanding of local, national, and world happenings.

In addition to monthly meetings which were held at M.H.S., officers and other members attended such functions as seminars on Africa and Southeast Asia, World Affairs Institutes on economic problems, and executive meetings in Cincinnati with other JCOWA chapters from Southwest Ohio.

Rick Waxweiler, Elaine Dannis, Pam McNabb and Helen Sarris were chosen to represent M.H.S. at the Nineteenth World Affairs Institute, a two day seminar held in Cincinnati. Accompanying them on this trip were Mr. Berman Litton and Marli Goncalez, our foreign exchange student. Sponsoring these representatives of M.H.S. was the Rotary Club. At the beginning of the year all JCOWA members sold candy to raise money for their annual spring banquet.

Students who are well-informed about international

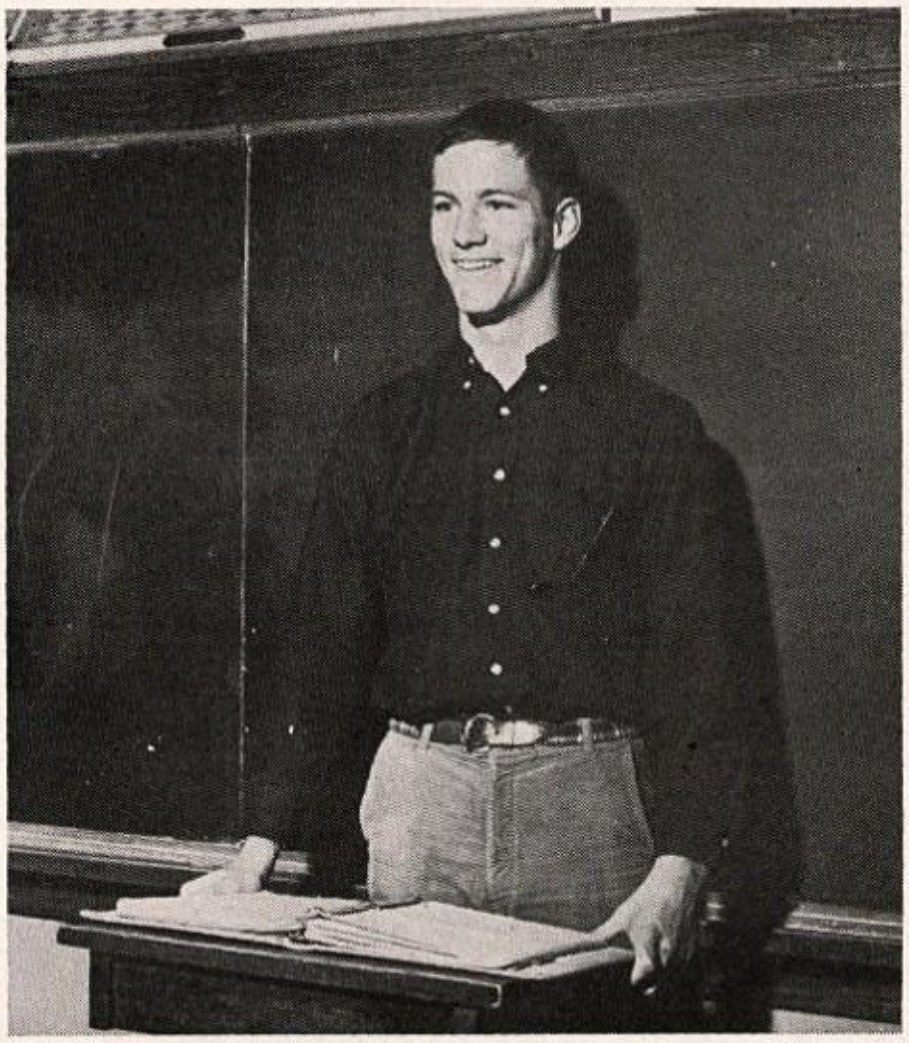
Mr. Litton and JCOWA officers, Elaine Dannis, secretary; Helen Sarris, treasurer; and Pam McNabb, vice-president, discuss the problems in Africa.

THE CHESS CLUB, under the supervision of Mr. Harold Kesselring, tries to promote an understanding and appreciation of chess for its members. This year's team had twenty-five members including six girls, the largest number ever to participate. Through various competitive tournaments participants improve their skills in the game. These tournaments are not the elimination type, but contests for rank. At the end of three rounds of tournament play, the players are ranked from first to eighth place. The club places emphasis on relaxation, but they discourage any wasting of time. If one were to wander into room 305 after school, he might observe members of the organization in action. Spectators, often present either to learn the game or to outguess the moves of the players, pensively watch the battle to capture the opponent's king as play becomes tense with the plotting of strategy.

Chess Club members and their adviser, Mr. Harold Kesselring, ponder over an important move.

affairs have knowledge needed for future leadership.

Goodwell Capema, Miami University exchange student from Africa, speaks to JCOWA about his native country.



Rick Waxweiler, JCOWA president, conducts a business meeting before introducing the speaker for the monthly meeting.

F.S.A. OFFICERS: *Sitting* — Karen Begley, secretary; Ora Brewer, president; Patti Williams, treasurer. *Standing* — Mrs. Zaina Flickinger, adviser; Peggy Efker, vice president; Mrs. Vicky Van Horn, adviser.

THE BUSINESS CADET CLUB, under the direction of Mr. Neel, is composed of those girls associated with the co-op program from Middletown and Monroe High Schools. These students attend classes for four periods and then are employed in some office for the remainder of the day. The Cadets have regular meetings once a month. These meetings are concerned with some phase of co-op work such as personality, dress, co-operation, and job problems, and usually feature experienced speakers. The big events in the year's activities included the Christmas party, the spring banquet, and orientation meetings. Officers elected for this year were Gail Flatter, president; Peggy Efker, treasurer; and from Monroe, Mary Johnson, secretary.

Future career girls learn useful knowledge and

THE FUTURE SECRETARIES of Middletown High School initiated new members in a beautiful candlelight ceremony held on the evening of December 21, 1964. The ceremony was conducted by members of the National Secretaries Association who are the actual secretaries that sponsor our high school organization. Newly initiated members included Vicki Abner, Shirley Barrett, Paula Berry, Anna Click, Debbie Dominick, Debbie Dykes, Tracee Epstein, Marisue Foland, Sandy Frazier, Loretta Jones, Wanda Lee, Virginia Long, Wendy McGuire, Sandra Mull, Helen Peebles, Gloria Salley, Donna Savlor, Beverly Shields, Lynne Shope, Lavina Smith, Marilyn Wallace and Janet Wills.

At their regular monthly meetings, F.S.A. members listen to speakers who talk on all phases of secretarial work from appearance when applying for a job, to co-operation with fellow employees. Emphasis is also placed on job opportunities for those students who are proficient in the necessary skills. Often various skits, demonstrating the different points of a good business woman, were presented by enthusiastic members. Highlighting the year was a special Christmas party. F.S.A. membership is ever-increasing, and the club is becoming more active because of its importance in helping girls plan their future in the business world.

BUSINESS CADET CLUB: *1st Row* — Mary Hensley, Ora Brewer, Betty Netherly, Melody Estes, Lynn McDaniels, Sandra Kilburn, Mr. Neel, adviser. *2nd Row* — Sheryle Greenwell, Beverly Fletcher, Stephanie Slamka. *3rd Row* — Gail Flatter, Patricia Robinson, Ina Howard, Peggy Efker, Karen Begley, Patti Agee.

practice necessary skills for their vocations.

In a skit at an F.S.A. meeting, Billie Newcomb and Peggy Efker illustrate the right and wrong ways to apply for a job.

N.F.L. OFFICERS: Mr. Butch, adviser; Mike Lamb, vice president; Debbie Letts, president; Karen Schrock, secretary; Clarence Page, treasurer; Debbie Clark, clerk.

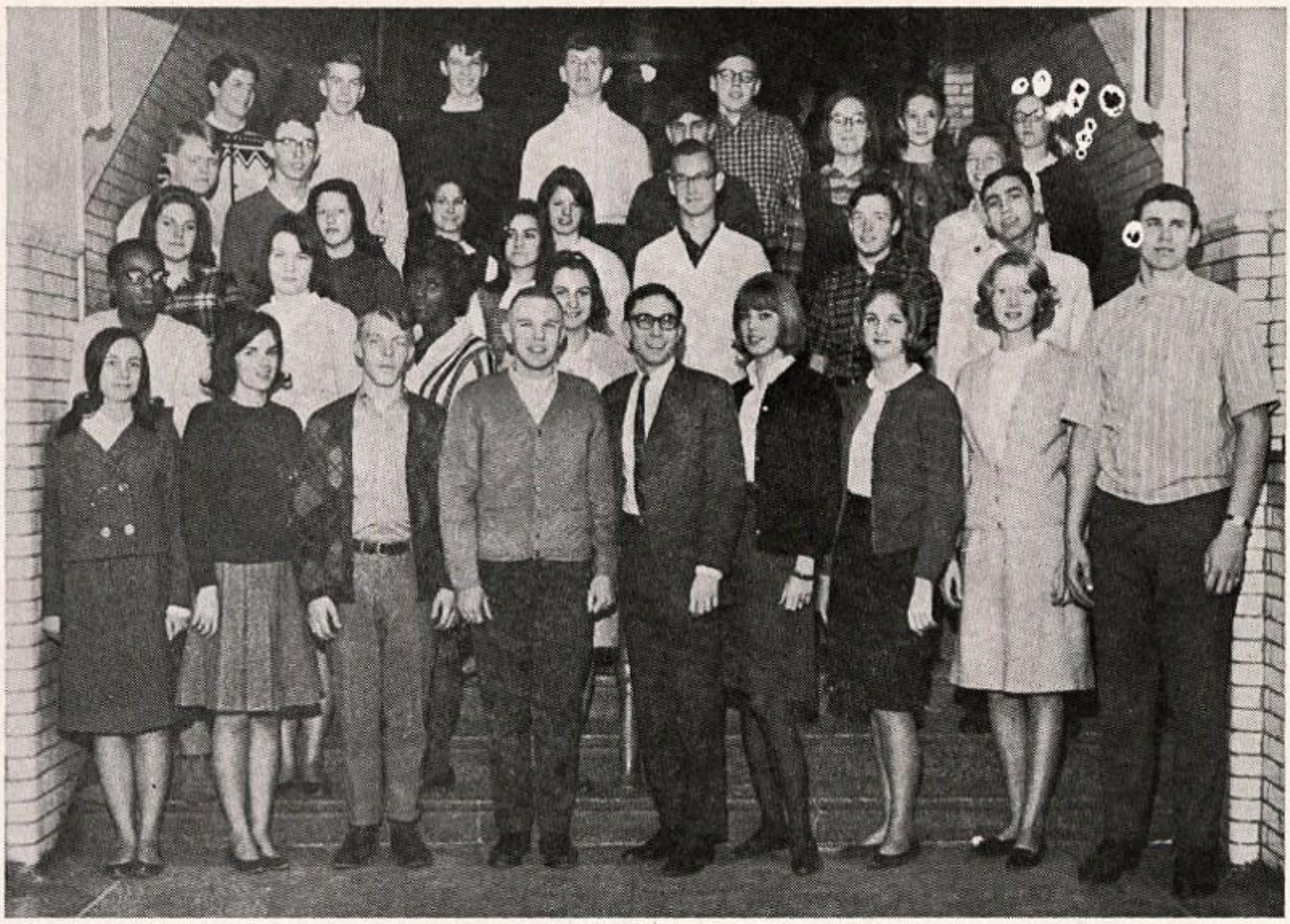
THE NATIONAL FORENSIC LEAGUE is the honorary speech society for those students interested in debate, individual speaking events, and radio work. Membership is limited to the students in the upper third of their class who have earned twenty-five points by active participation in competitive contests or service speeches. During the year, the speech enthusiasts travel to other schools in Ohio to compete in tournaments.

The speech department is under the direction of David Ballard, who coaches individual events, and Jim Butch, who leads the debate department. This year M.H.S. National Forensic League was named one of twenty-five top chapters in the United States. Bruno C. Jacobs presented the chapter with a plaque for having earned 24,000 N.F.L. points at speech contests during the past fifteen years.

Several members of N.F.L. received special distinction this year. Bruce Domineck placed third in Original Oratory in the O.H.S.S.L. District tournament thus qualifying for the state tournament. Charla Saylor won special recognition by placing first in the District Prince of Peace Contest.

Poise, self-confidence and the ability to express

DEBATERS: *Seated* — Mike Lamb, Debbie Letts, Mr. Butch, Lynne Withey. *Standing* — Jim Davis, Phil Parnell, Joe Berman, Clarence Page, Jim Crawford.



RADIO ANNOUNCERS: *1st Row* — Candi Overturf: Debbie Letts: Walter Crenshaw; Bob Euler; Mr. James Butch, adviser; Linda Woodward; Bev Selby; Karen Schrock; Mike Lamb. *2nd Row* — Clarence Page, Lynne Withey, Karen Arnett, Badonna Van Ostrand. *3rd Row* — Billie Day, Susan Kincaid, Vicki Abner, Dave Wittman, Larry Pergram. *4th Row* — Ted Elam, Bob Brandenburg, Becky Marshall, Betsy Geckeler, Corky Cordray, Dena Morris. *5th Row* — Jim Davis, Phil Parnell, Gary Wooddell, Ken Robinson, Joe Berman, Norman Nichols, Mary Apgar, Charla Saylor, Debbie Reeder.

one's opinions are developed through speech and debate.

THE RADIO STAFF, consisting of twenty-five announcers, eight alternate announcers, eight engineers, and six writers, was in charge of producing the show "Looking at Middletown Schools" on WPFB. James Butch, an actual professional in the field, served as director. The radio announcers had an additional job this year; they gave announcements during homeroom over the public address system in an effort to make this activity more exciting and better than it had ever been in the past.

FOUR ACTIVE DEBATING SQUADS participated in several practice tournaments and two district tournaments during the year. The "A" team consisting of Mike Lamb, Debbie Letts, Chris Voris, and Lynne Withey was the most active of the four squads. The "B" squad included Jim Davis, Phil Parnell, Clarence Page, and Jim Crawford. Members of the other teams were Judy Agee, Joe Berman, Betsy Geckeler, Walter Griffith, Mike Morgan, Norman Nichols, Leslie Roberts, Ken Robinson, Charla Saylor, Debbie Reeder, Gary Wooddell, and Teresa Wyatt. This year's national topic concerned setting up an international council for control of nuclear weapons.

Bruno Jacobs presents N.F.L. president, Debbie Letts, with a plaque from the National Committee for Middletown High School's outstanding work.

The one-act play, "Goodbye to the Clown," was presented at a Thespian meeting.

Thespians promotes an appreciation of dramatic arts

NATIONAL THESPIAN SOCIETY OFFICERS: *Seated* — David Ballard, adviser; Carol Burdsall, president; Mike Lamb, vice-president. *Standing* — Beth Banzhaf, clerk; Nancy Stein, secretary; Bob Euler, treasurer.

THE M.H.S. THESPIAN TROUPE strives for dramatic excellence through many interesting meetings. Highlighting one of these was the presentation of the one-act play, "Goodbye to the Clown," featuring as main characters Karen Cox and Martha Crawford. The plot concerned a nine-year old girl, Peggy, and her imaginary friend, the clown. Peggy has trouble telling real from imaginary and blames her bad behavior at school on the clown. When this situation is added to the mounting tension at home caused by the death of Peggy's father, Mother explodes; and it is left to Uncle George and the Clown to bring peace and harmony into the household again.

"At the Door of the Inn," a Christmas pageant, was presented by the speech department, under the direction of James Butch and David Ballard, with the aid of the vocal and instrumental music department.

Act Two of "Inherit the Wind," a play by Jerome Lawrence and Robert E. Lee based on the famous *Scores* monkey trials, was presented as Middletown High School's entry in the annual District Drama Festival. M.H.S. hosted the annual contest at Roosevelt Junior High School. Plays receiving the highest ratings were then eligible to compete at the State Dramatics Festival.

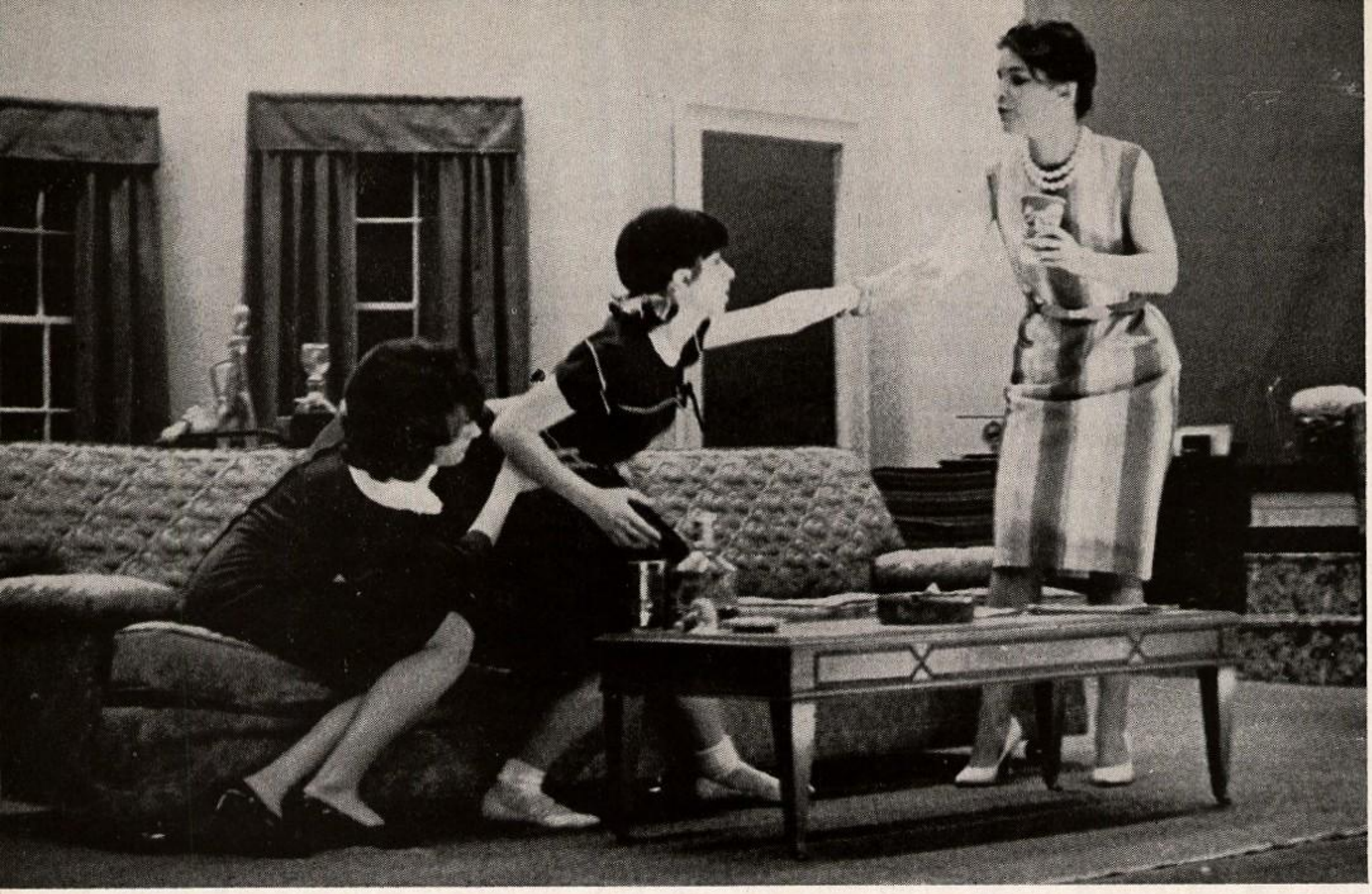
Adviser, Mr. Dave Ballard, administers oath to Thespian officers — Carol Burdsall, Beth Banzhaf and Nancy Stein — at the spring initiation.

by striving for excellence in every production.

NATIONAL THESPIAN TROUPE 918 members must speak the following pledge when initiated: "I solemnly promise to uphold the aims and ideals of the National Thespian Society. As a Thespian I pledge my best efforts in all assignments given me as a member of the dramatic arts department of this school. I shall accept criticism, disappointments, and promotions in the spirit of true humility and obedience. I shall ever strive for self-discipline and self-improvement. I shall govern my words and actions to promote the highest standards of conduct in my troupe, in my school, in my community, in my country, and throughout the world, so that I may be worthy of the high honor of Thespian membership."

To be able to take this oath, one must earn ten points, each point signifying ten hours of work by participating in the acting or backstage work of any play or operetta. In accordance with this, Thespians worked hard this year to present the melodrama, *Lily, the Felon's Daughter*, under the direction of David Ballard, and *Time Out for Ginger*, directed by Jim Butch, plus aiding the vocal department in presenting *H.M.S. Pinafore*.

Newly initiated Thespian, Martha Crawford, is congratulated by officers Carol Burdsall, Nancy Stein and Beth Banzhaf.



Monica tries to tear Rhoda away from Mrs. Daigle, the drunken mother of Rhoda's drowned schoolmate.

Suspense-filled "Bad Seed", with brilliant performances

BAD SEED by Maxwell Anderson portrays eight-year old Rhoda Penmark as a shining example of sweet innocence to every adult with whom she came in contact. Yet, through the penetrating eyes of her mother, something seemed to be amiss. What it was, Mrs. Penmark did not know.

One afternoon a classmate of Rhoda's was drowned on a school picnic. The drowning was a mystery for the young boy was found in a section of the park where the children had been forbidden to go. To add to the mystery, missing from the boy was a penmanship medal which the boy had won and had worn that day. Mrs. Penmark was uncertain how to explain death to Rhoda for she felt sure Rhoda would be terribly upset. Much to her surprise, Rhoda seemed unconcerned with her classmate's death. Then she discovered that Rhoda was the last to see the boy alive. Mrs. Penmark began to believe Rhoda had had some part in the death. She then found the missing penmanship medal in Rhoda's treasure box.

Rhoda managed to talk her way out of the suspicious situation, but her mother was still unconvinced of Rhoda's innocence in connection with the death. When Mrs. Penmark found that her own mother had been a famed murderess, possessing no sense of guilt, she began to fear that Rhoda had inherited this sickness of the mind.

Another tragic death, that of the house janitor, occurred. Ironically the janitor had recently accused Rhoda of murdering her classmate. When Rhoda again presented herself as a picture of innocence, Mrs. Penmark realized that she must have had a part in it. She finally forced Rhoda to admit the murders in a suspense-filled scene.

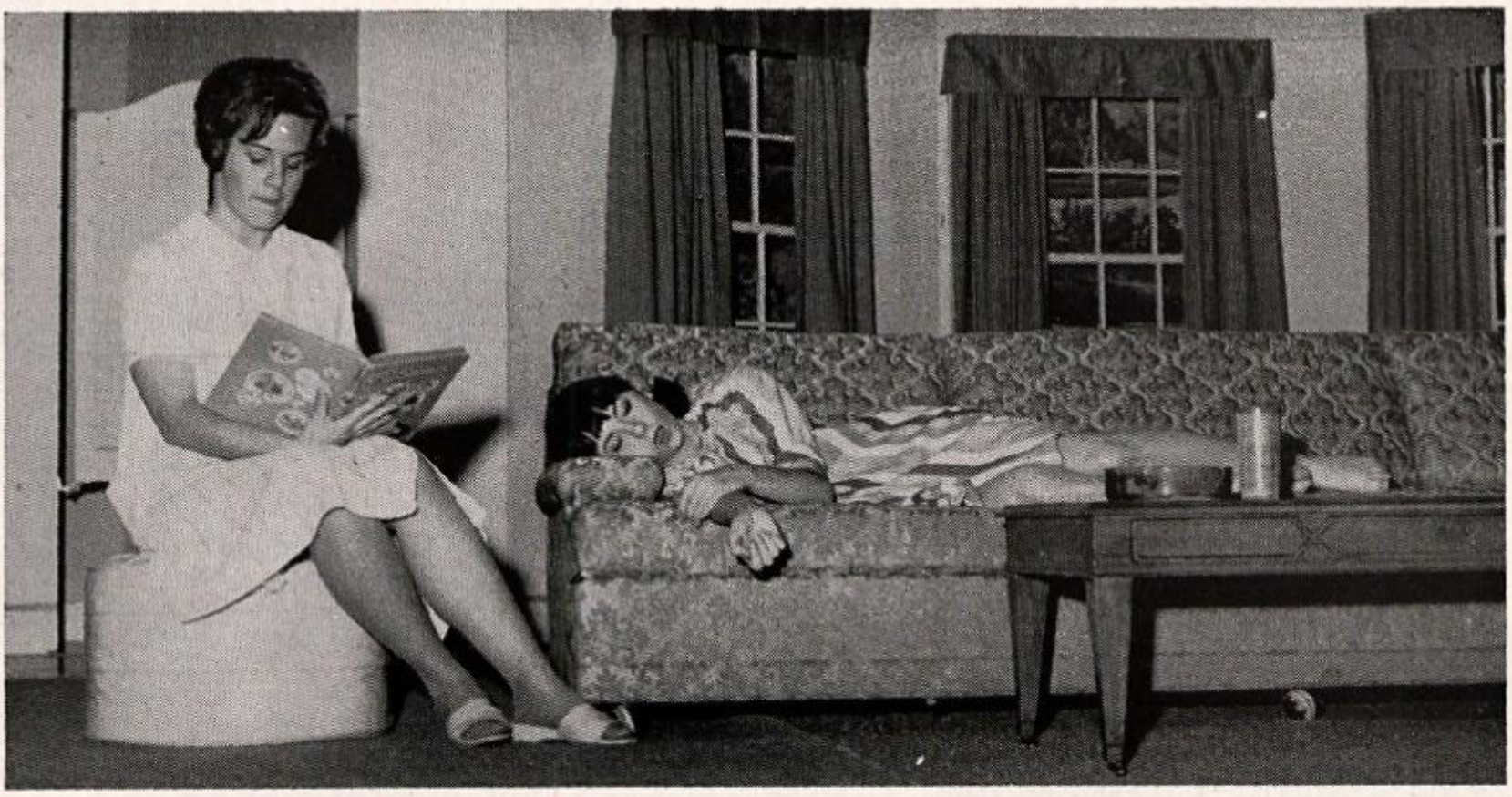
Mrs. Penmark knew Rhoda would continue her guiltless murdering unless she stopped her. Thus, she gave Rhoda an overdose of sleeping pills and put her to bed. Then she walked into another room. A piercing shot rang out and the curtain fell.

In the next scene, Mr. Penmark and some friends were gathered in the living room of the Penmark home. He was completely broken over the death of his wife, but — and then the audience heard the terrifying conclusion — at least he still had his darling daughter, Rhoda, who was found in time and saved from death.

Rhoda Penmark	Glenda Morgan
Col. Kenneth Penmark	Albyn Davis
Christine Penmark	Connie Stubbs
Monica Breedlove	Ellen Gerber
Emory Wages	George Fraley
Leroy	Richard Hackney
Miss Fern	Carol Burdsall
Reginald Tasker	Keith Geckeler
Mrs. Daigle	Betty Adams
Mr. Daigle	Mike Johnson
Messenger	Marvin Tucker
Richard Bravo	Steve Oakley

During a tense scene, Rhoda purposely avoids listening to the accusations of Leroy, the janitor, then angrily makes a reply.

by the cast, astonished and baffled the audience.



As her mother reads from a story book, Rhoda lapses into a deep slumber.

Betsy and Lily are shocked and dismayed by the discovery that their savings have been stolen.

CAST

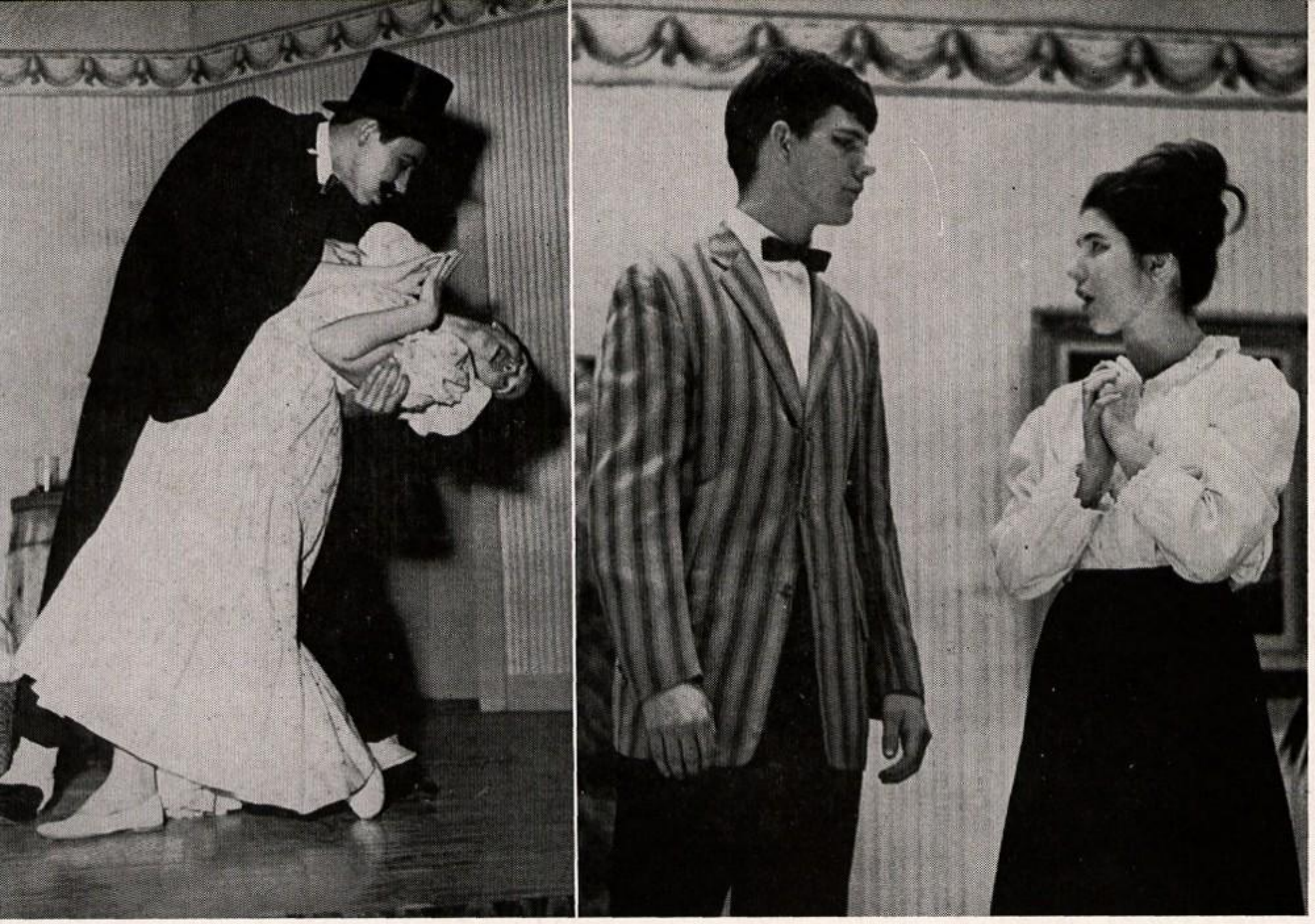
Mrs. Kingsley ..... Miss Beth Banzhaf
Lily Fairweather ..... Miss Carol Burdsall
Marie ..... Miss Debbie Clark
Ophelia ..... Miss Martha Crawford
Lord Monty ..... Mr. Mike Lamb
Robin Steele ..... Mr. Marty Lewis
Jonas Fairweather ..... Mr. Jim McFillen
Betsy Fairweather ..... Miss Paula Noblet
Craven Sinclair ..... Mr. Larry Pergram
Compton Fairweather ..... Mr. Ken Robinson
Mrs. Bloodgood ..... Miss Badonna VanOstrand

LILY, THE FELON'S DAUGHTER, by Tom Trabert, was presented in the Middletown High School auditorium on February 12 and 13, 1965. This play, under the direction of Mr. David Ballard, was an old-fashioned melodrama complete with booing and hissing for the villain and applauding and cheering for the hero.

As the play, which took us back to the gay nineties, began, Lily Fairweather — who is as pure as the driven snow — is in love with Compton. Continually thwarting all their plans for happiness is Craven Sinclair, the dastardly villain, who wants Lily as his own. When Craven sees that his efforts are of no avail, he devises an evil trick to put Compton permanently out of the scene.

"Lily, the Felon's Daughter," a melodrama, revealed

Paying no heed to Jonas' protests or Lord Monty's attempts to throw him out, Robin Steele tries to claim Lily as his daughter as Ophelia looks on disgustedly.



Craven Sinclair, the dastardly villain, tries to force Lily to accept his marriage proposal, but she strongly objects for she loves Compton, the brave but foolish hero.

an exciting plot encouraging spontaneous reactions.

Tempted by Craven to forgery and embezzlement, Compton flees arrest on the night of his engagement to Lily. On the same night Lily's father, Robin Steele, whom everyone had supposed dead, returns from the state prison to claim his long-lost daughter. These happenings, combined with the sudden poverty that strikes the Fairweathers, plunge Lily's feelings to the depths of despair.

Just when Lily has almost decided that in order to keep her family from starving she must force herself to marry Craven, Compton — that brave, but foolish hero — returns from the West where he has made a new life for himself. The story ends happily with Lily now able to marry her love and yet save her family.

In keeping with the old tradition of the play, elixir of orange was served during the intermission. Performing between the second and third acts were Miss Diana Paine, Miss Shari Combs and "The Moonlighters."

Ophelia turns arrogantly away from Lord Monty as he tries to win her hand in marriage.

Sir Joseph Porter, Admiral of Her Majesty's Navy, praises its virtues as Buttercup, Captain Corcoran, and Josephine exchange glances.

A young girl's determination in choosing her husband

The cast of *H.M.S. Pinafore* reappears exultantly for their final curtain call.

H. M. S. PINAFORE by Gilbert and Sullivan was presented under the direction of Miss Helen Weinberger on November 6, 1964. A nineteenth century satire, the entire play takes place aboard the *H. M. S. Pinafore*, a ship of the Royal Navy. The Captain of the ship wants his daughter Josephine to marry Sir Joseph Porter, First Lord of the Admiralty, but she admits that she is in love with Ralph, a common sailor. She assures her father that nothing will come of this attachment because, after all, she is socially above a "common sailor."

Finally, Josephine and Ralph confess their love for each other and plan to elope; however, Dick Deadeye betrays them and tells Captain Corcoran of their plan.

Little Buttercup, who is in love with the Captain, then informs the First Lord that the Captain and Ralph had accidentally been exchanged as infants. This means only one thing, that the Captain and Ralph must change places.

Nothing could be better. Josephine's problem is solved for she is no longer marrying a penniless sailor but a prosperous sea captain. Sir Joseph offers no objection, since it would be unthinkable for him to stoop lower than a captain's daughter; and Josephine's father has turned out to be nothing but a common sailor. As for the Captain, he is now lowly enough to marry Little Buttercup. They all sing their gratitude to the catchiest tunes of the operetta.

Buttercup and Captain Corcoran discuss their hopeless love during a tender scene of *H. M. S. Pinafore.*

led to mass confusion and hysteria in "H.M.S. Pinafore."

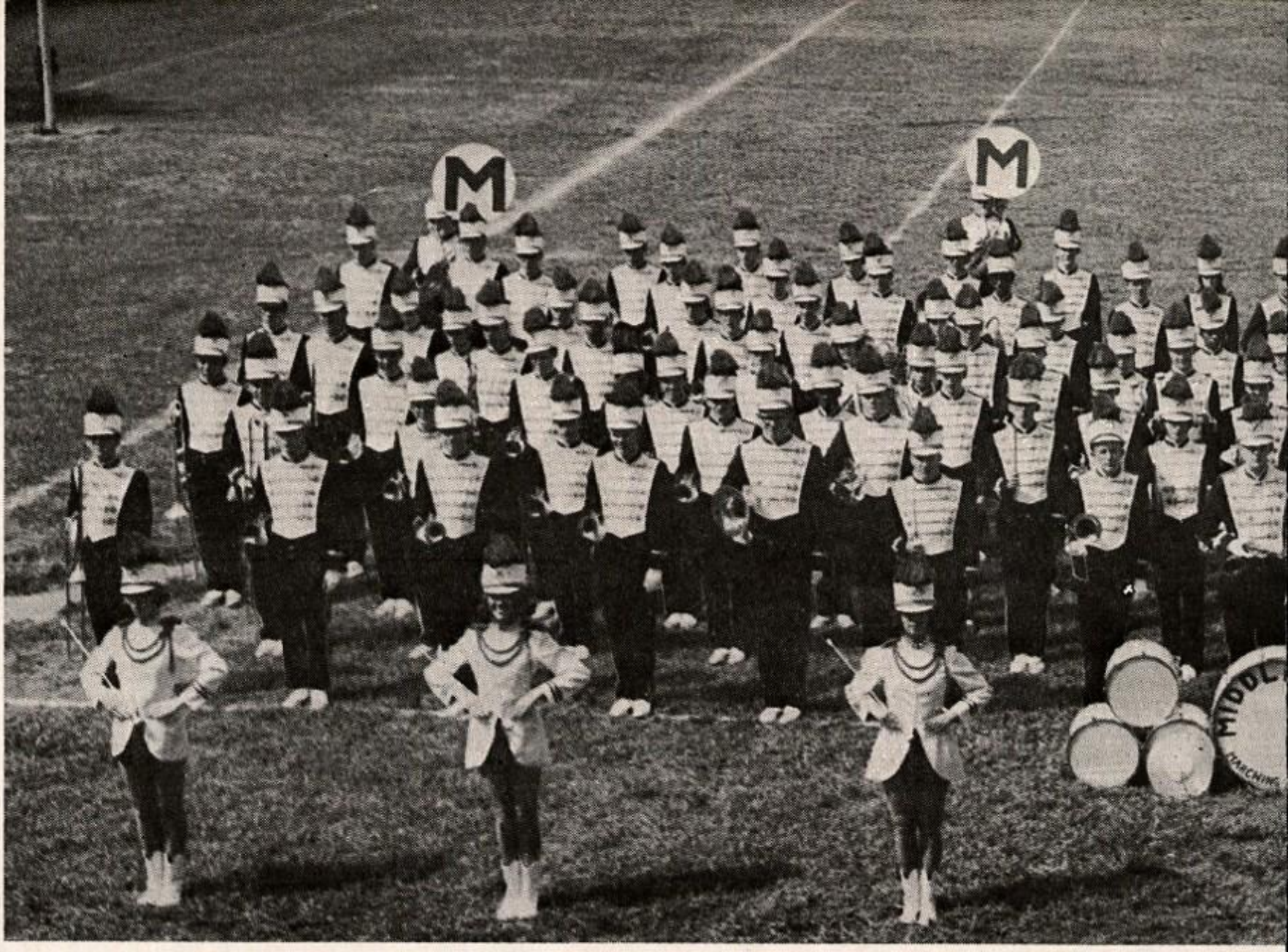
CAST

Little Buttercup ..... Debbie Starkey
Boatswain's Mate ..... Marty Hensler
Dick Deadeye ..... Andy Granger
Ralph Rackstraw ..... Emmett Rothe
Captain Corcoran ..... Chick Lane
Josephine ..... Carol Burdsall
Sir Joseph Porter, K. C. B. ..... Walter Crenshaw
Cousin Hebe ..... Paula Noblet
Carpenter's Mate ..... Larry Pergram

Sailors — Joe Berman, Dan Bremer, John Burdsall, Richard Elkins, David Little, Townsell Marshall, Norman Nichols, Mike Plumbo.

Sisters, Cousins, Aunts — Beth Banzhaf, Debbie Clark, Elaine Dannis, Faye Ford, Diana Hudson, Diana Jamison, Sara Jones, Elaine Neel, Beverly Selby, Elizabeth Zornes.

Josephine voices her indignation that such a lowly man as Ralph would dare to consider the possibility of loving her.

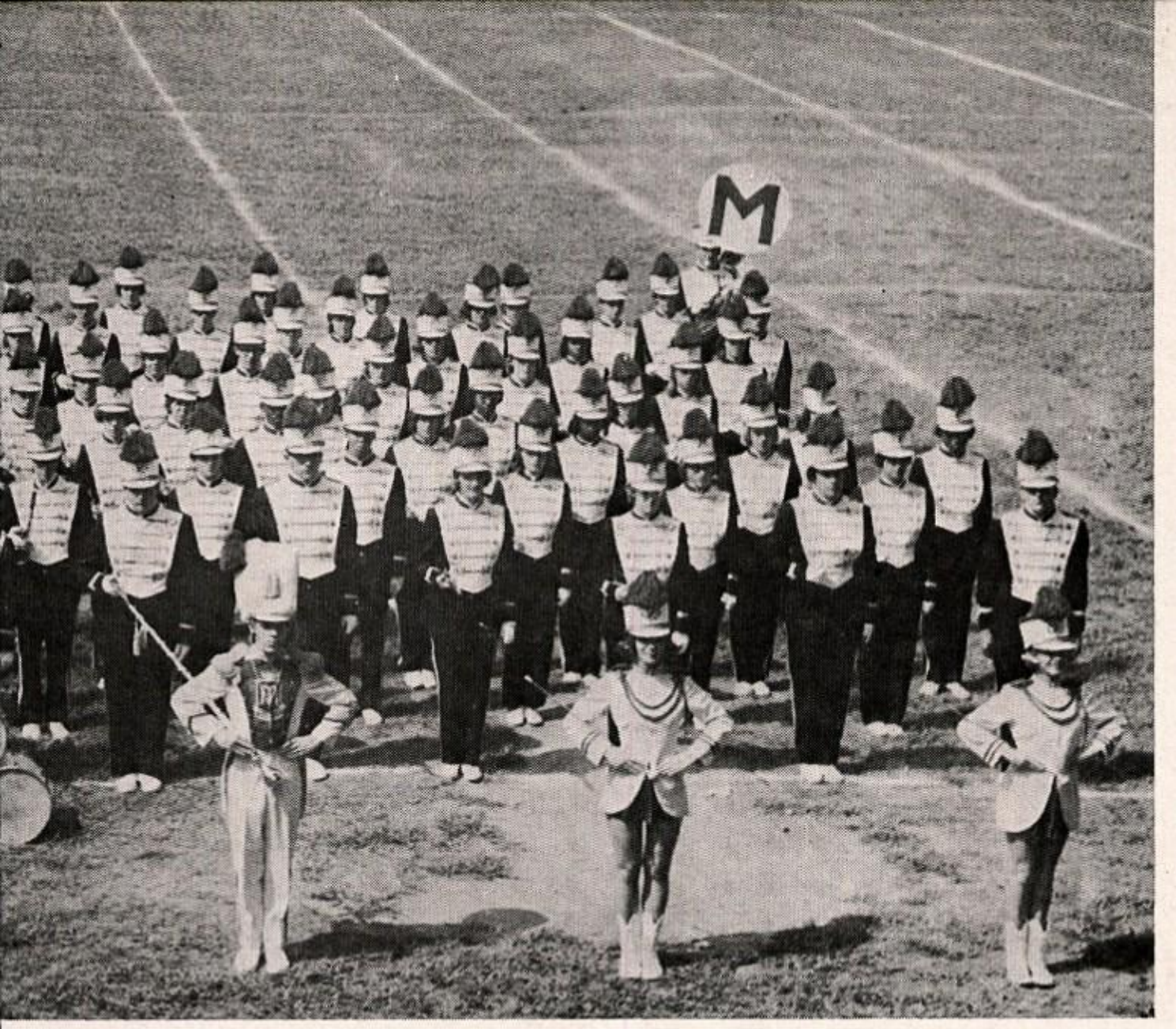


BAND: *Majorettes* — Linda Brown, Janet Milton, Susan Goecke, Drum Major Walter Crenshaw, Connie Hahn, Patti Sexton. *1st row* — Emmett Rothe, Bob Hall, Charles Lane, Steve Cox, David Senften, Larry Fosse, Terry Susong, Steve Allison, Mike Banks, Gus Pantel, Steve Nolan, Karen Walter, Nancy Booker, Janet Kesselring, Jim Terry. *2nd row* — Rick Nein, John Batson, David McClanahan, Mitchell Oligee, Henny Klaassen Van Oorschot, Lou Rossi, Carol Klamo, Bruce Domineck, Mark Tibbs, Steve Tutt, Lamar Lipscomb, Karyn Nickell, Carol Trout, Susie Troutvine. *3rd row* — Randy Bendure, Gary Weikel, Bill McCall, Ted Riesz, Jim Gann, Cass Grass, Dan Perry, Ed Griffis, Sally Groves, Linda Steele, James Lindsay, Sharon Buchanan, Valerie Mitchell, Lana Zickgraf, Wilma Clemmons. *4th row* — David Tewel, Fred Brooks, Diana Paine, Tom Harden, Trudy Weatherwax, Mark Reed, Corky Cordray, Terry Latimore, Cathy Easterling, Sue Ellen Minge, Fredricka Hamilton, Sandy Graham, Eleni Laras.

The Middie Marching Band provided an added attraction

Senior Majorettes — Patti Sexton, Connie Hahn, Janet Milton, and Linda Brown — illustrate the versatility of the new majorette uniforms.

THE MARCHING BAND, under the excellent leadership of Mr. William Stiehl and Mr. William Betz, his assistant, gave fascinating and well-received performances before each football game and also during half-time festivities. The band also played after the end of each quarter and after each Middie touchdown. The band this year consisted of 110 regular members and 17 alternates. On the field the band was headed by Drum Major Walter Crenshaw. Activities other than playing at the football games included marching on the Annual Band Day at Miami University, participating in the Middletown High School Parade, ground breaking ceremonies for the future Middletown campus of Miami University, and the Memorial Day Outing.



5th row — Steve Hess, Jim Weir, Rick Teasley, Mike Heinzmann, Theresa Graham, Rod Richardson, Gary Whiteman, Gary Dunn, Lavanda Ferguson, Becky Blanton, Betsy Geckeler, Marciann Hiatt, Mary Apgar, Claudia Mills. *6th row* — Monda Kibrige, Dave Wittman, Tim Fawns, Mike Ronto, Karyl Cotty, Ken Farrar, Brenda Mitchell, Marilyn Keister, Barb Wendt, Dianne Easton, Steve Schnedler, Phil Parnell, Dulcy Schueler, Sherry Frazier, Nancy Raine. *7th row* — Todd Coddington, Mike Lawson, Gary Wilson, John Miller, Jim Davis, Darrell Veal, Dan Schearer, Carl Hovel, Gary Wooddell, Jay Dudley, David Little, Nancy Norton, Carol York, Kay Finkelman, Terry Wills. *8th row* — Bill Ledford, Rodney Kidd, Jan Keuthan, Rick Leichty, John Medley, Dale Dudley, Krista Weir, David Szabo, Judy Wagoner, Marcia Root, Sandy Thacker, Glenna Click, Patty Rogers, Beverly Profitt. *9th row* — Paul Jeffery, John Johnsen, Gary Houser, Ken Amburgey.

on the football field with outstanding programs.

The band's year started the week of August 29th when its members assembled at Camp Campbell Card at Hamilton, Ohio, preceded by squad drills in the summer led by seniors, who taught sophomores the fundamentals of marching. The week at band camp, consisting of drills, marching practice, and special sectionals, prepared the band to act as a group and not as individuals. The shows for the coming season are usually presented here, and the first half-time show was perfected. Along with the work, enjoyment and relaxation were found through boating, swimming, hiking, baseball, football, tennis, and nightly planned recreational programs, just to mention a few of the activities. Highlighting this year's season were the new uniforms purchased by the Middies' Band Boosters' Club.

Middie Marching Band forms a crown as Homecoming candidates and escorts are introduced to the crowd.

CONCERT BAND: *1st Row* — Judy Wagoner, Patty Rogers, Gus Pantel, Bev Profitt, Janet Kesselring, Krista Weir, Carol Trout, Mary Apgar, Kay Finkelman. *2nd Row* — Steve Tutt, Jay Dudley, Joe Luibel, Nancy Norton Phil Parnell, Fredricka Hamilton, Linda Steele, Dulcy Schueler, Sandy Thacker, Marsha Root, Steve Nolan, Claudia Mills, Sally Groves, Carol York, Sue Troutvine. *3rd Row* — Dianne Easton, Steve Cox, Glenna Click, Karen Walter, Lamar Lindsay, Rodney Kidd, Marilyn Keister, Lavanda Ferguson, Harry Ford, Carl Hovel, Dave Szabo. *4th Row* — David Little, Marciann Hiatt, Cathy Easterling, Melinda Schuerman, Barbara Wendt, Betsy Geckeler, Terry Latimore, Bruce Domineck, Steve Allison, Steve Nolan. *5th Row* — John Miller, Terry Wills, Rick Leichty, Tom Harden, Gary Weikel, Dave Wittman, Steve Cox, Mike Lawson, Chick Lane, Dave McClanahan, Jan Keuthan, Mark Reed, Bill McCall, Jennie Estill, Gary Wilson, Henny Klaassen. *6th Row* — Dan Schearer, Randy Bendure, Gary Wooddell, David Tewel, Rick Nein, Bill Ledford, Fred Brooks, Monda Kibrige, Emmett Rothe, Todd Coddington, Jim Davis, John Medley, Butch Crenshaw. *7th Row* — Theresa Graham, Karyl Cotty, Patti Sexton, Corky Cordray, Larry Fosse, Darrell Veal, Dale Dudley, Paul Jeffery, John Johnsen, John Dumford, Ken Amburgey.

The talented instrumental groups captivated the

THE CONCERT BAND, consisting of 90 members under the direction of Mr. William Stiehl, presented their Mid-Winter Concert in February and their annual Spring Concert in April. The numbers played in the Mid-Winter included "Concerto for Band" by Texidor, "Malaguena" by Lecuona, and "El Cid" by Rozsa. The performance was concluded with a Sousa number, "Washington Post."

The following participated in the Annual District Music Competition at Miami University March 13: Judy Wagoner, flute; Jay Dudley and Steve Tutt, clarinet; Jan Keuthan, Mike Lawson, and Dave Wittman, trumpet; Todd Coddington and Emmett Rothe, trombone; and Ken Amburgey, tuba.

Instrumental ensembles included two flute trios: Nancy Booker, Kay Finkelman, Claudia Mills, and Patty Rogers, Claudia Mills, Judy Wagoner; woodwind trio: Rodney Kidd, Patty Rogers, Steve Tutt; saxophone quartet: Harry Ford, Carl Hovel, Steve Nelson, Dave Szabo; trumpet quartet: Jan Keuthan, Chick Lane, Mike Lawson, Dave McClanahan; brass quartet: Todd Coddington, Steve Cox, Henny Klaassen, Chick Lane; and trombone trio: Todd Coddington, Monda Kibrige, and Emmett Rothe.

BAND COUNCIL: *1st Row* — Steve Cox, treasurer; Steve Allison, secretary; Patti Sexton, special representative; Jan Keuthan, vice-president; Rick Leichty, president; Mr. William Stiehl, adviser. *2nd Row* — Jim Davis, sophomore representative; Chick Lane, junior representative.

ORCHESTRA: *1st Row* — Monda Kibrige, Don Imhoff, Janet Kesselring, Pat Rogers, Judy Wagoner, Ann Witt, Ernestine Holmes, Helen Sarris. *2nd Row* — Donna Speigle, David Vick, Melodee Commodore, Naomi Wise, Steve Nolan, Rodney Kidd, Marsha Root, Krista Weir, Steve Tutt, Valerie Mitchell, Claudia Marshall, Gale Wagner. *Piano* — Carol Klamo. *3rd Row* — Ken Amburgey, Rick Leichty, Mike Lawson, Henny Klaassen, James Gann, Bob Hall, Todd Coddington, Carl Hovel, Marilyn Keister. *Standing* — Karyl Cotty, Larry Fosse, Theresa Graham, Director William Betz, Susie Troutvine, Emmett Rothe.

attention of listeners with excellent performances.

MIDDLETOWN HIGH SCHOOL ORCHESTRA, under the excellent direction of Mr. William Betz, was composed of thirty-seven members. The orchestra, in one of its major roles, co-operated with the vocal music department for the production of *HMS Pinafore*. Other appearances this year included playing before and after *Lily, the Felon's Daughter*, and *Time Out for Ginger*, providing entertainment and accompaniment for the Christmas Assembly, participating in the Mid-Winter Concert, presenting an assembly concert at Manchester Junior High School, and providing music for the Baccalaureate and Commencement services.

Several of the songs played in the Mid-Winter Concert by the orchestra included "Slavonic Dance" by Dvorak, "Blue Tango" by Leroy Anderson and highlights from the Broadway musical, *No Strings*.

Orchestral ensembles have a long and stately tradition in Western culture; yet their popularity seems to have been declining steadily year after year. One exception to the rule is the Middletown High School Orchestra. With Rodney Kidd as student conductor the 37 member ensemble is swinging with pop hits from *West Side Story*, *South Pacific*, and *Sound of Music*.

Four members — Dale Dudley, Jay Dudley, Emmett Rothe, and Jan Keuthan — were chosen to play in the regional orchestra made up of students from southwestern Ohio. The orchestra provides a demanding curricular activity with opportunity for solo work and the satisfaction of working with a good organization.

MIXED CHOIR: *1st Row* — Carol Burdsall, Beverly Selby, Paulette Campbell, Faye Ford, Kay Jones, Sandy Hughes, Nancy Halderman, Debbie Clark, Josephine Allen, Sharon Johnson, Jo Anne Stottlemyer. *2nd Row* — Nicki Finkelman, Pam Goetz, Ann Agee, Kristi Lewis, Patti Fruauff, Judy Gibson, Ruth Beall, Elaine Dannis, Helen Stevens, Karen Trueblood. *3rd Row* — Joe Berman, Jerry McCandless, Jim Merrick, Ron Moore, Marty Hensler, John Burdsall, Richard Elkins, Curtis Johnson. *4th Row* — Townsell Marshall, Mike Plumbo, Emmett Rothe, Andy Granger, Tim Newcomb, Miss Helen Weinberger.

Fine voices, well accompanied, entertained numerous

Accompanists: *Seated* — Shari Combs, Nancy Halderman. *Standing* — Judy Wagoner, Sharon Johnson, Carol Klamo.

VOCAL MUSIC GROUPS of M.H.S. this year were the Girls' Choir — a new addition, the Mixed Choir, the Mixed Chorus, the Triple Trio, and the Boys' Quartet. All were under the direction of Miss Helen Weinberger. The music department presented several of the holiday assemblies and the Spring Concert; the two choirs sang for the Rotary Club, the Lions Club, Baccalaureate, and Commencement. They were also invited to sing for an assembly at McKinley Junior High School. Some of the selections they sang were "The Theme from the King of Kings," "Moon River," "Clouds," "Let There Be Music," and "Star." Sharon Johnson accompanied the Mixed Choir, and Shari Combs accompanied the Girls' Choir. The mixed chorus also sang at the school assemblies. The Triple Trio, also members of the Choirs, sang for the Y-Teen Christmas Party, the music contest at Miami University, and for different civic functions. Andy Granger, Marty Hensler, David Little, and Emmett Rothe compose the Boys' Quartet. Triple Trio and Boys' Quartet participated in the District Music contest and received ratings of superior and excellent, respectively.

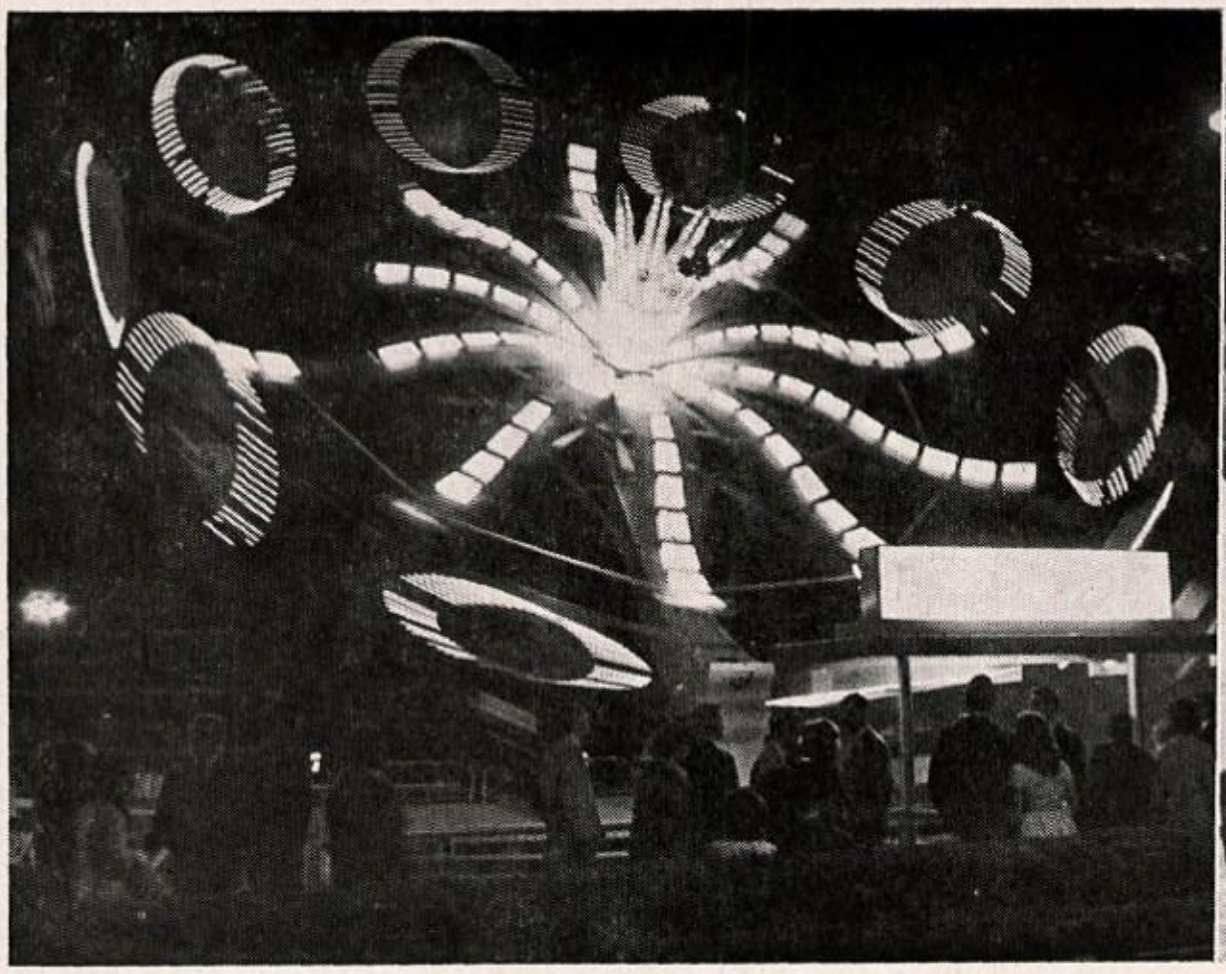
GIRLS' CHOIR: *1st Row* — Betty Tutt, Vera Bailey, Sylvia Pate, Ruth Svarda, Judi Graff, Shari Combs, Sara Jones. *2nd Row* — Sue Ellen Wooton, Carol Swisher, Gloria Kinder, Lois Herbert, Jenny Boxwell, Betsy Cole. *3rd Row* — Susan Kincaid, Ginny Smithson, Debbie Starkey, Maria Vradelis, Linda Evans, Pam Sloan. *4th Row* — Elizabeth Zornes, Georgia Alexander, Martha Crawford, Debbie Reeder, Nancy Lorig, Pat Mendenhall, Judy Danner. *5th Row* — Lawana Pitts, Dena Morris, Teresa Wyatt, Barb Johnson, Beth Banzhaf, Paula Noblet, Lynn Unger, Peggy Johnson.

audiences in the community with a variety of songs.

TRIPLE TRIO: Elaine Neel, Diana Jamison, Carol Burdsall, Kay Jones, Billie Newcomb, Helen Stevens, Paulette Campbell, Debbie Starkey, Sara Jones, and Judy Wagoner, pianist.

The juniors feted the seniors

For the JUNIOR-SENIOR PROM on May 22, 1964, members of the senior class were the guests of the juniors at a "Bon Voyage" party held aboard the S.S. M.H.S. To board the ship from the pier, couples had to mount a gang plank and step through a large wooden life preserver into the decorative ballroom. Adding to the festive decorations were lighted portholes on either side of the room through which famous ports of the world could be viewed. Amid the colored flags hanging from the ceiling, two chandeliers reflected the multicolored lights shone on them.



LeSourdsville Lake employees opened the gates and turned on the lights so that M.H.S. students could spend the early morning hours enjoying a wonderful jubilee.

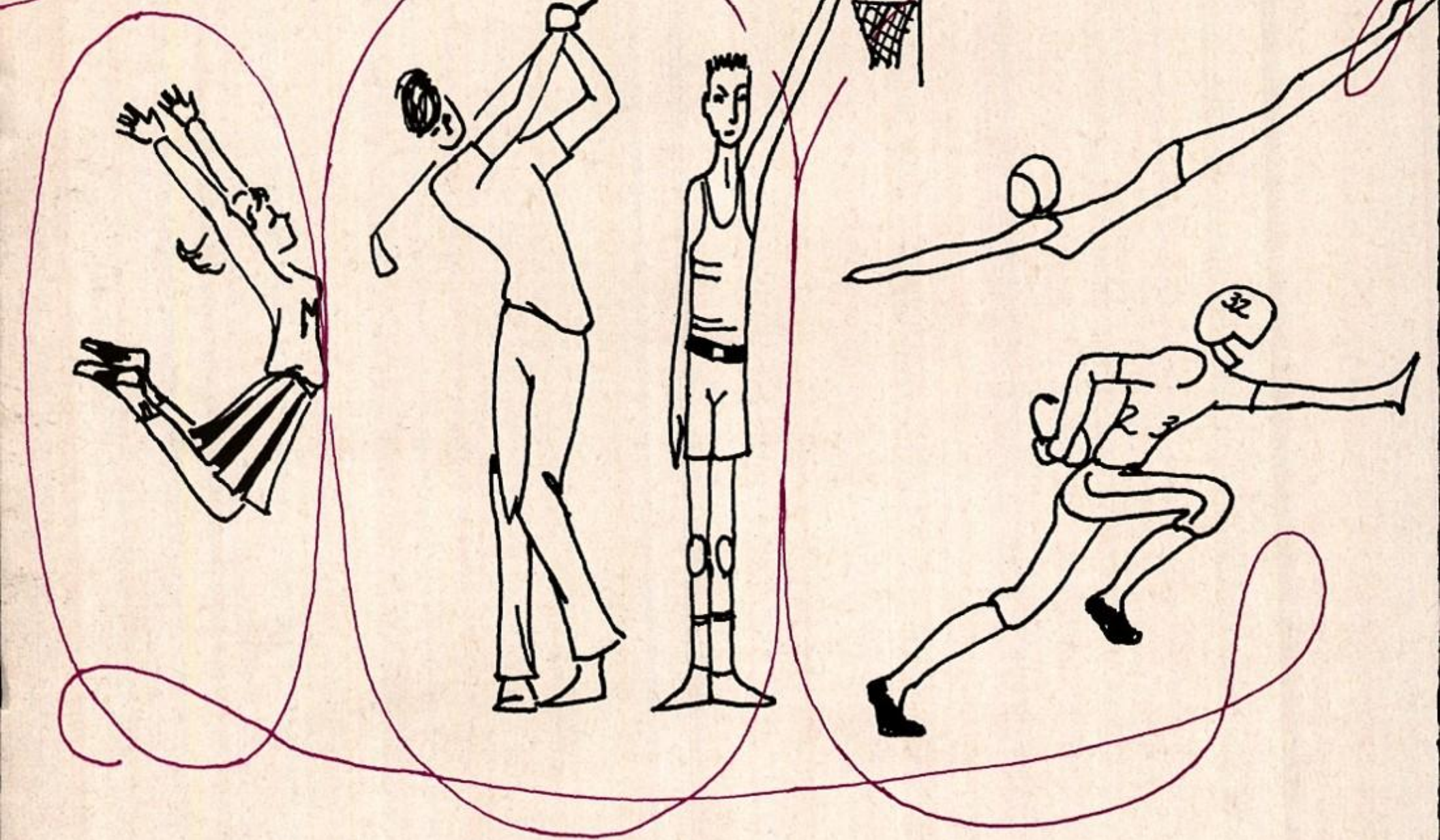
with a "Bon Voyage" party before the Prom Jubilee.

The Prom guests were provided with just the right music for such a gala ocassion by the famous Jimmy Dorsey orchestra. The grand march processional was climaxed by the crowning of King Jim Sexton and Queen Debby Banker by junior class officers, Rod Cornella and Jenny Boxwell. After a special dance in their honor, the King and Queen continued to reign for the rest of the evening.

The Prom Jubilee, which provided entertainment from midnight until dawn, was a perfect finishing touch for the Prom. The Jubilee is sponsored annually by the parents, students, and friends of Middletown High School. After a quick dash home to change clothes, Jubileers arrived at the Colonial Theater at midnight for the premier of "Wild and Wonderful," a comedy about a famous French poodle, Monsieur Cognac, and the love affair between his owner and star Tony Curtis. Following a police escorted motorcade to LeSourdsville Lake, Jubileers spent the remaining time until dawn riding rides or dancing to the rock and roll music of the Rick Z. Combo. Before wearily departing for home at dawn, drowsy students topped off a delightful night with a tasty breakfast served to them in the LeSourdsville Lake Cafeteria.

Ric Fraunfelter and Cathy Little fight it out on the 'Dodge 'em" during a delightful but exhausting Jubilee.

Proud Moments Typify the Feeling



of Middie Sports Enthusiasts

VARSITY FOOTBALL: *1st Row* — Coach Jack Gordon, Gale Wagner, Dana Watts, Danny Thompson, Steve McCluskey, 57-Quit, Chris Henderson, Dwight Roberts, Kent Goforth, Mike Gomia, Dan Bremer, Paul Moore, Harold Howell, Irvin Gregory, Manager Ford Martin. *2nd Row* — Manager Tim McClure, Mark Moore, John Calhoun, Rod Cornella, Denny Rose, Bob Jordan, Co-captain Ed Hiteshue, Co-captain L. C. Kindred, 30-Quit, Ron Hamilton, Larry Lewis, Jim Merrick, Dave Ortman, Jerry McCandless, Manager Mike Davis. *3rd Row* — Coach Dan Moore, Jerry Brown, Manager Ron Jones, 54-Quit, Ted Alexander, Barry Bard, Woodrow Bell, Dave Cook, Jim Ousley, Charles Kahne, Delbert Arnold, Dan Slusher, 24-Quit, John Mail, 67-Quit, Coach Ed Payne, Equipment Manager Bob Eddins. *4th Row* — 68-Quit, Howard Johnson, Joe Thomas, Perry Wallace, Mark Danner, Steve Wyatt, Kirk Newland, Robert Walder, Duane Barnette, Bobby Joe Love, Coach Jack Reck.

1964 FOOTBALL SEASON

The 1964 Middies enjoyed a very fine year in the gridiron wars. We ended with a 7 won—2 loss record and a second place finish in the tough Greater Ohio League. The Middie Defense shined throughout the year holding our nine opponents to 90 points while the offensive unit racked up 226 points. The coaching staff was particularly pleased since much of their time was spent on improving our defensive play.

One of the outstanding features of our season was defeating Fairmont West 22-0 in our opener. The Middies "jinxed their jinx" in this one as the Purple and White trailed the Dragons over the years with 3 wins to 8 for Fairmont and 2 ties. It certainly helped our season with this convincing shut-out of Fairmont.

The defensive unit, known as the "Monsters", held our first three opponents (Fairmont, Purcell, and Fairfield) scoreless — a truly amazing feat in this modern offensive trend of football. Even though we lost 6-8, we felt the people of Middletown were treated to as fine a football game as ever was played at Barnitz Field when the Middies lost the G.O.L. Championship to Springfield South. The play was simply *vicious* and the entire team played to their 100% capabilities. The final against Garfield capped off a fine season as the Purple won 14-7. This game was dedicated to our fifteen senior boys, who certainly contributed greatly to our Middie football program over the past three years.

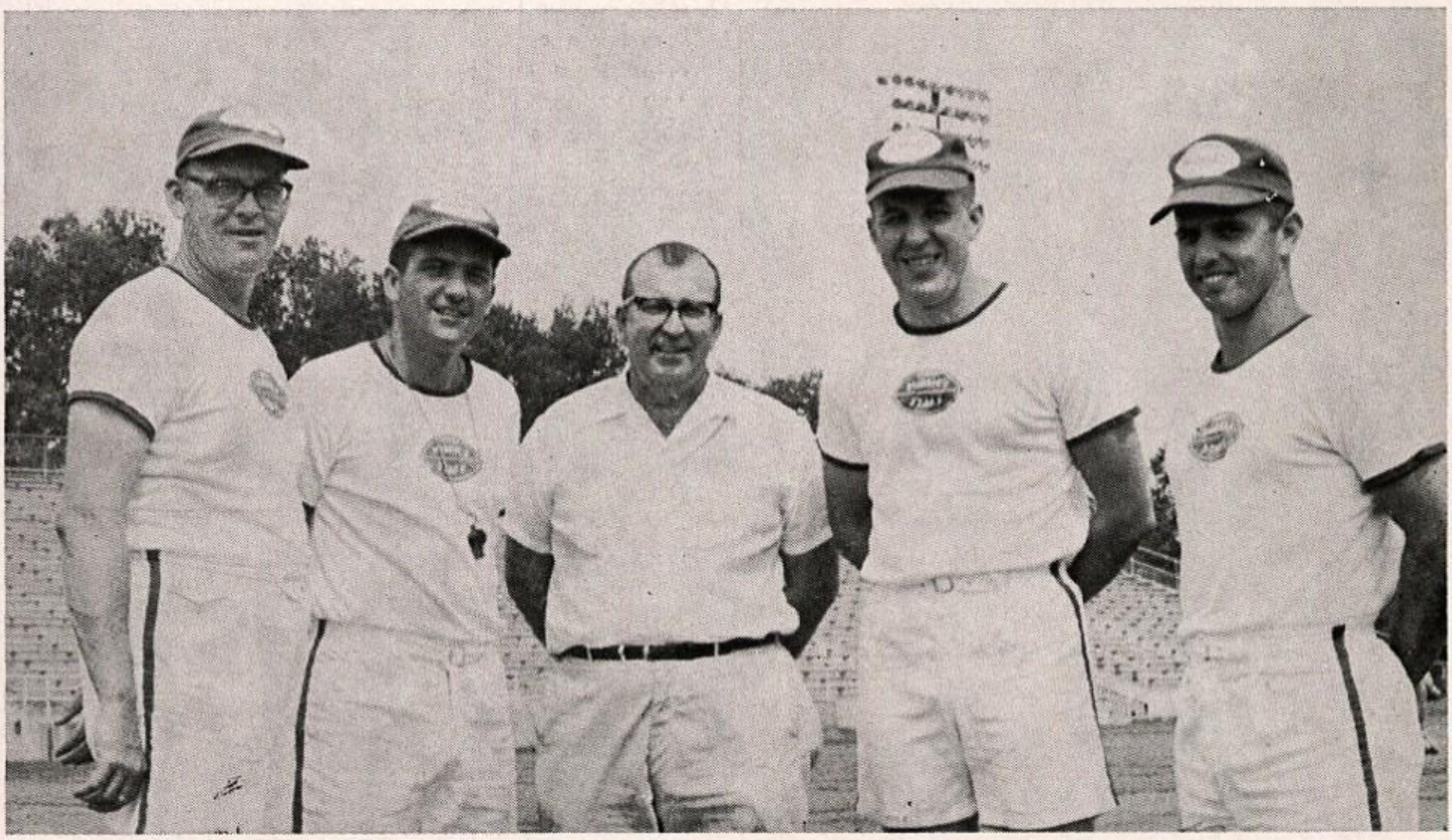
Coach Jack Gordon

1964 FOOTBALL RECORD

Middletown	22	Fairmont West	0
Middletown	22	Purcell	0
Middletown	52	Fairfield	0
Middletown	12	Elder	34
Middletown	6	Springfield	8
Middletown	32	Portsmouth	0
Middletown	37	Lima	21
Middletown	27	Taft	20
Middletown	14	Garfield	7

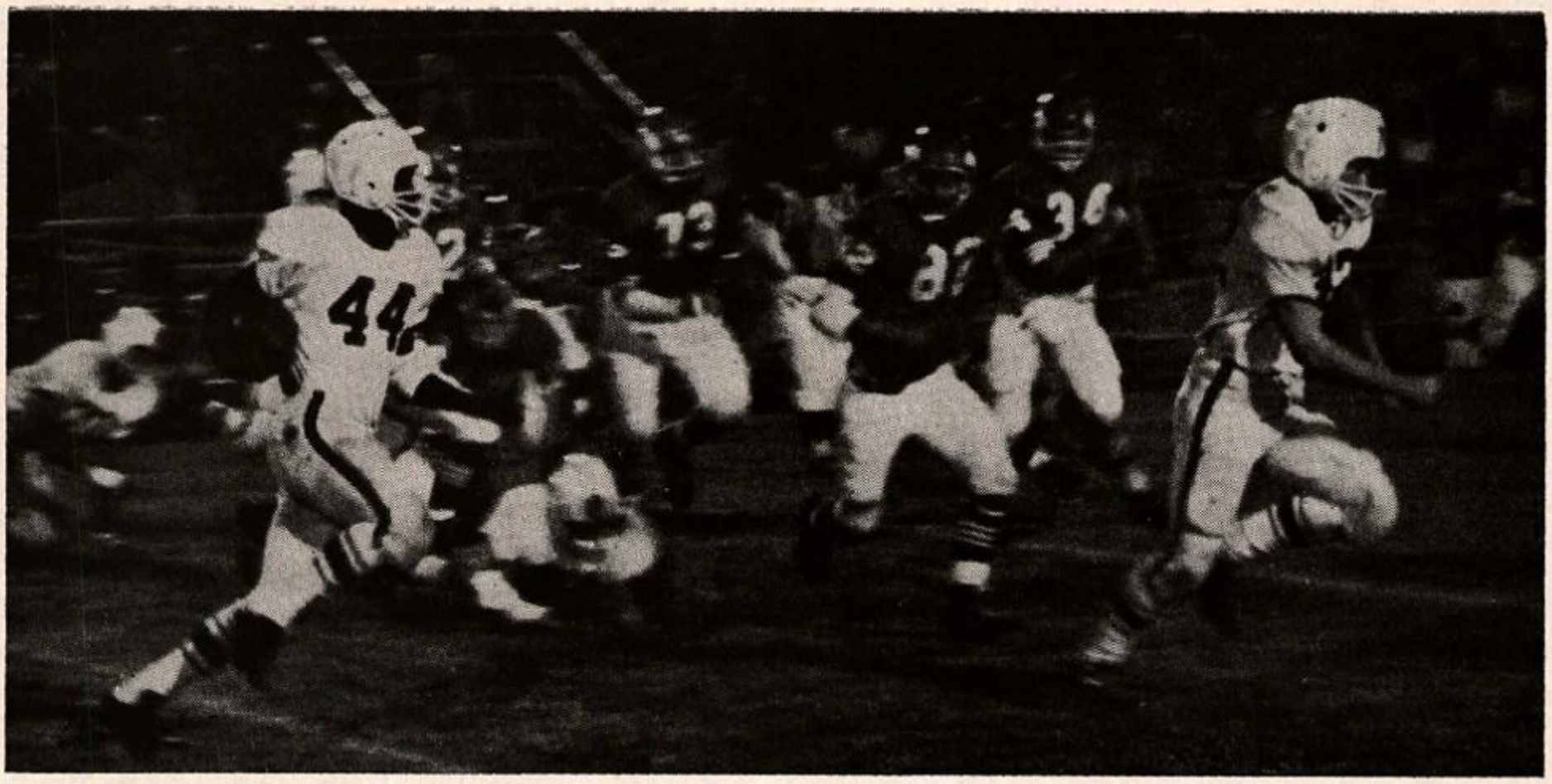
FOOTBALL MANAGERS: Gale Wagner, Tim McClure, Mike Davis, Ford Martin, Ron Moore.

Coaches and Managers

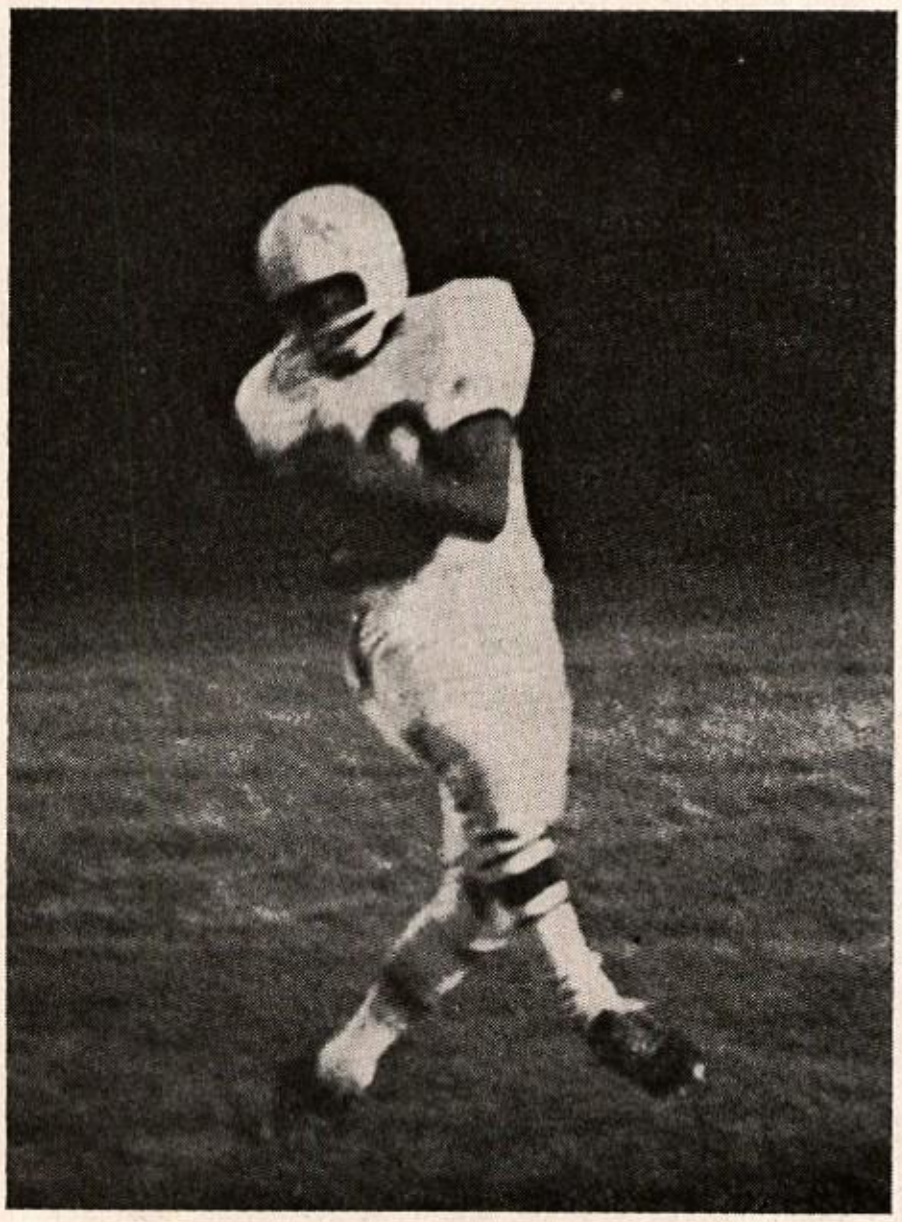


FOOTBALL COACHING STAFF: Jack Reck, end coach; Jack Gordon, head coach; Stan Lewis, athletic director; Dan Moore, junior varsity coach; Ed Payne, backfield coach.

MIDDLETOWN 22 — FAIRMONT WEST 0



L. C. Kindred, carrying the ball, follows Dave Ortman around the right.



Jim Ousley fades back to pass.

After not winning a game from Kettering Fairmont West for eight consecutive years, the Middies rolled over the Dragons 22-0. Coach Gordon's emphasis on defense this year proved more than successful in holding the Dragons to 119 yards. The impregnable Middie wall held Fairmont to only 12 yards in the final two stanzas. This amazing defensive attack was led by Denny Rose who was voted "Defensive Player of the Week."

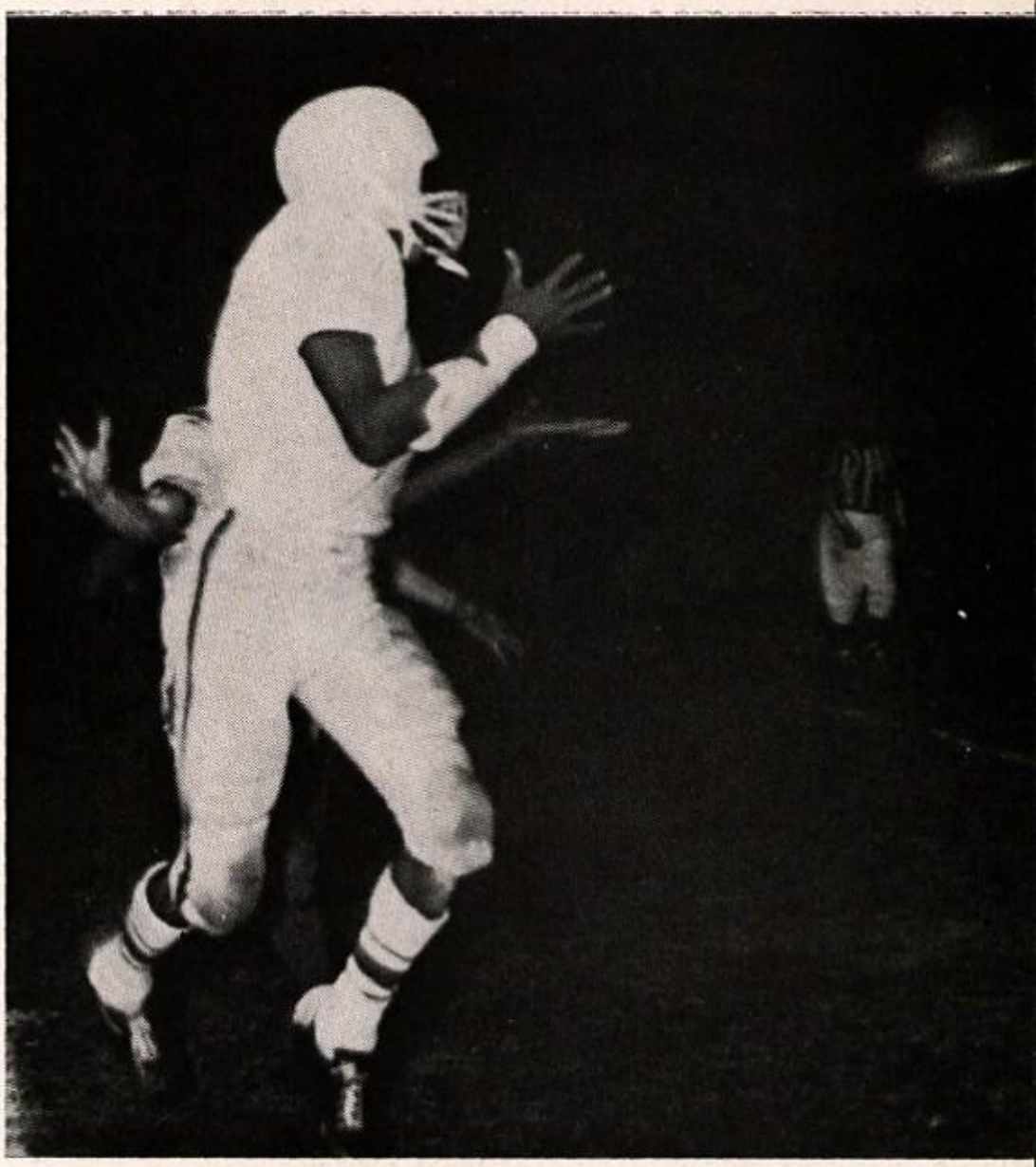
While the defense crushed the Dragons during Coach Gordon's debut as head man on the football team, the sparkling offense of the Middies romped over the poor Fairmont defenders. First, on the ground the Purple and White moved the ball 66 yards on a drive climaxed by Halfback John Calhoun's 1 yard plunge for the initial score of the game. The second tally for the Middies came on a short pass from Jim Ousley to End Bobby Love who dazzled the crowd by streaking past the Dragon's secondary to complete the 62 yard touchdown play. Bobby Love made another thrilling catch later in the quarter on a 9 yard pass from Jim Ousley that gave the Middies their final touchdown. Another important factor in the game was Fullback Dave Ortman's bull-like charge that netted the Middies valuable yardage. Dave scored the extra points on both of the third quarter tallies, and he was awarded the "Offensive Player of the Week" award.

MIDDLETOWN 22 — PURCELL 0

The Middies held their opponents scoreless once again when they defeated the Cavaliers of Cincinnati Purcell 22-0. The Middie defense led by Lewis, Hamilton, and Ortman held the Cavaliers outside the Middletown 30 yard line.

A blocked punt by Hamilton set the stage for the first Middie score. The passing and running of Quarterback Jim Ousley and Halfback Dan Slusher moved the ball 34 yards for the first tally. A field goal by Ousley made the score 7-0. On the next set of plays the Middies forced the Cavaliers to punt. Ousley then led the Middies 60 yards to their second touchdown on a 33 yard pass to Bobby Joe Love. Ousley once again kicked the extra point.

In the third quarter the Middies, with a 14-0 lead, marched 79 yards for their third touchdown. After a 23 yard pass play to junior End John Mail, Slusher carried the ball in for the score. The extra point was scored on a run by senior Halfback John Calhoun, who was a standout on offense. The fourth quarter was scoreless due to the rain, which hampered running and ball handling.



L. C. Kindred completes a pass.

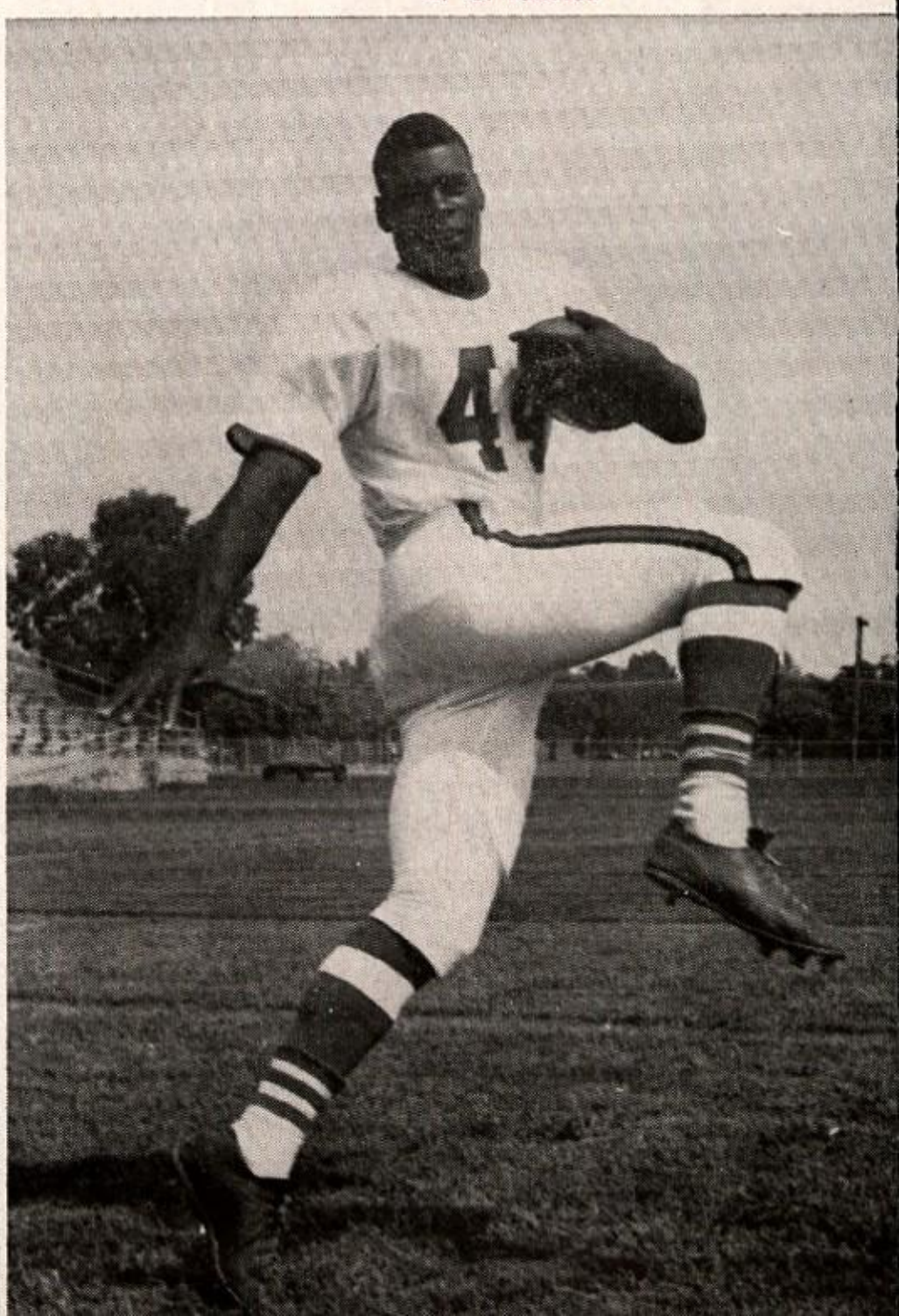
The team huddles before the game.

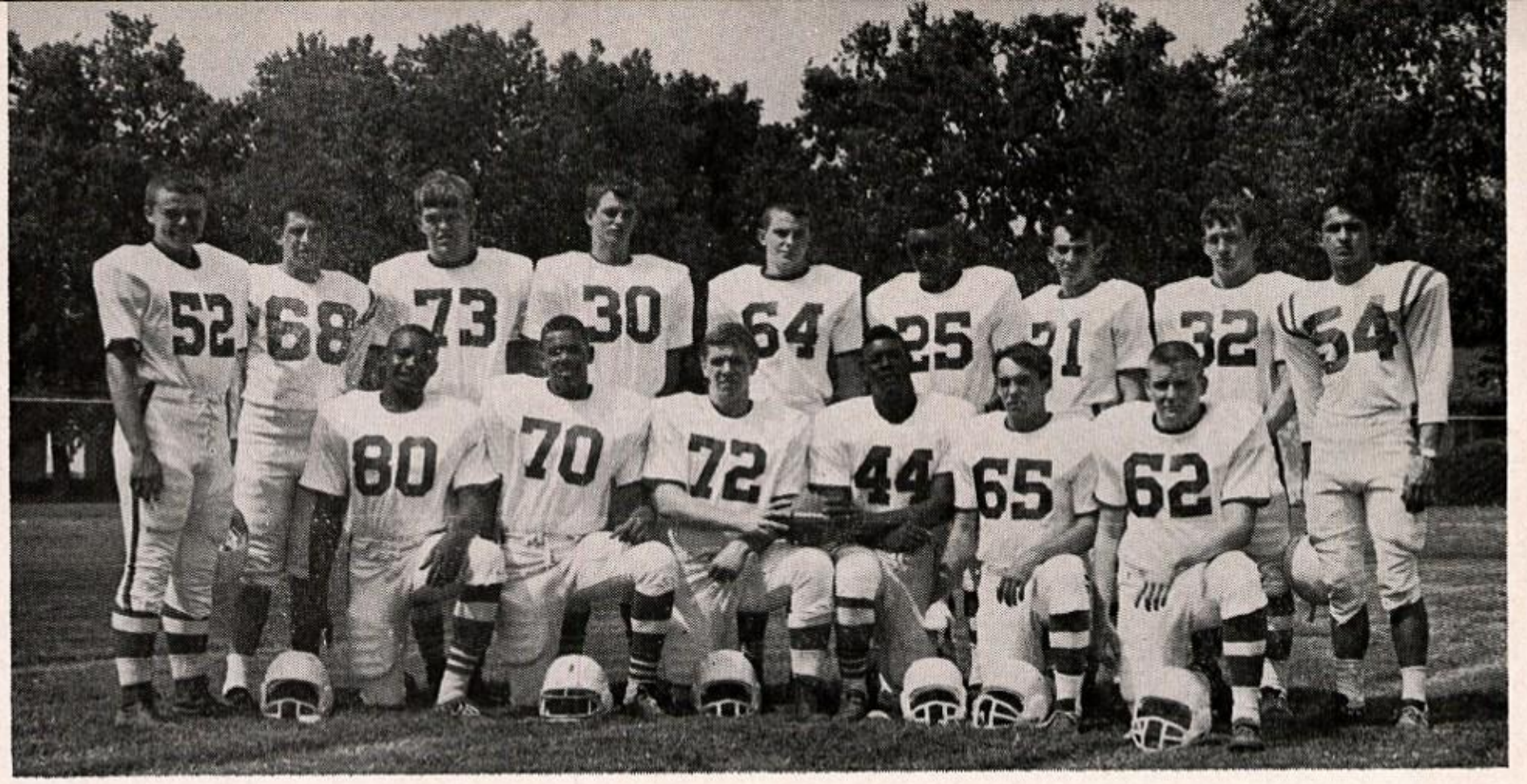
LINEMEN: Bob Jordan, Larry Lewis, Steve Wyatt, Rod Cornella, Ed Hiteshue.

Ron Hamilton

Dave Ortman

L. C. Kindred

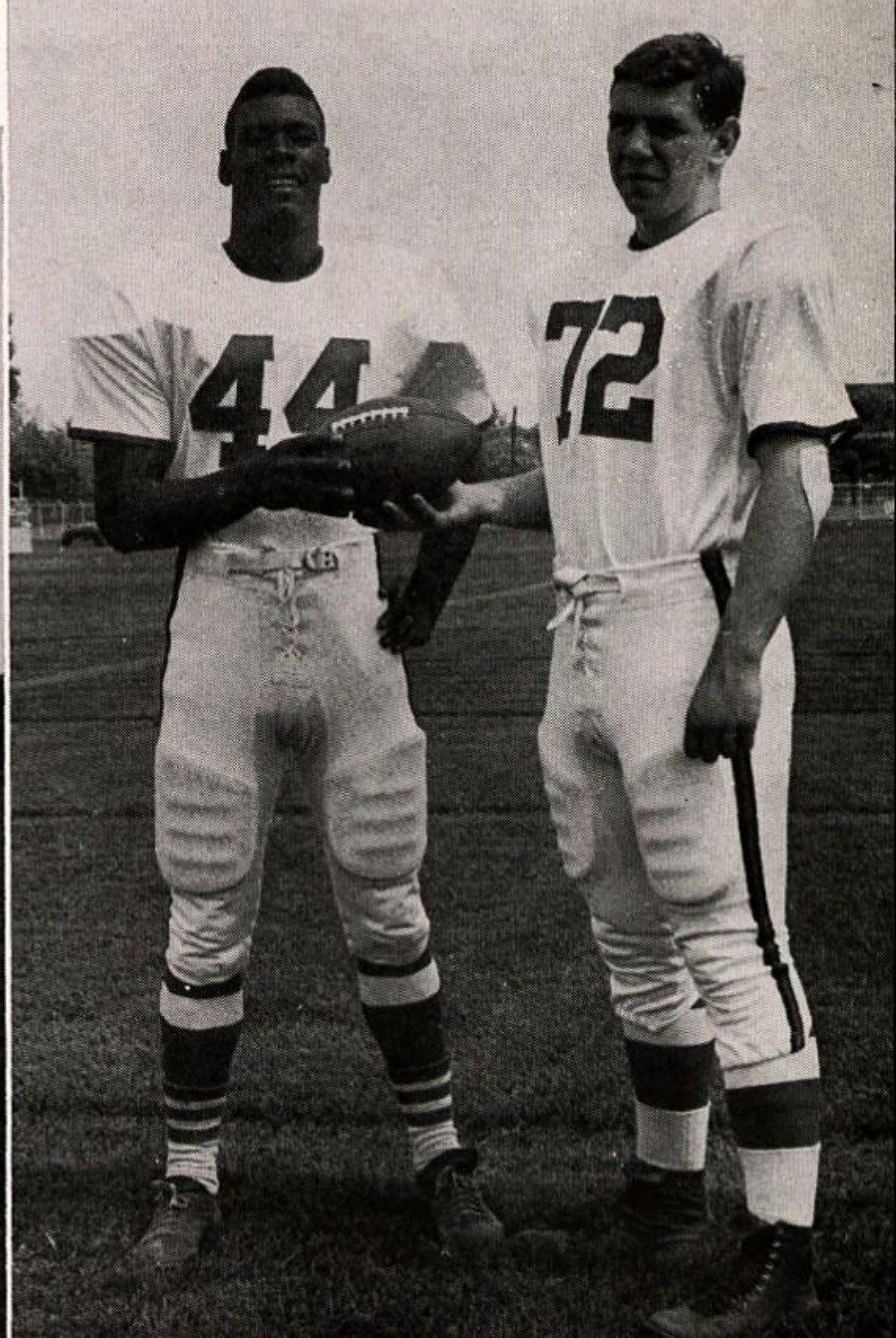




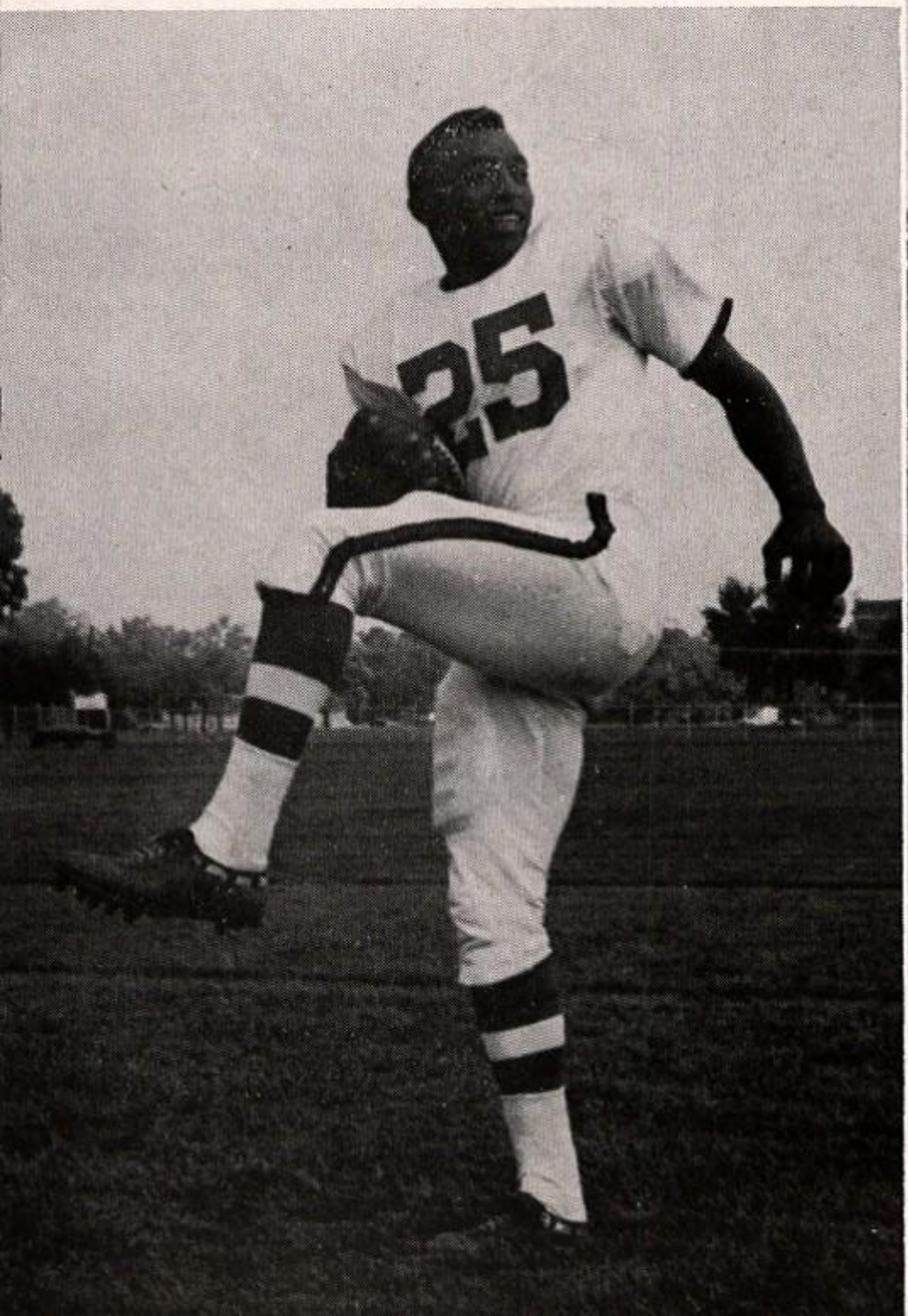
SENIORS: *1st Row* — Ron Hamilton, Bob Jordan, Ed Hiteshue, L. C. Kindred, Rod Cornella, Larry Lewis. *2nd Row* — Jerry McCandless, Charles Kahne, Mark Moore, Ken Howard, Denny Rose, John Calhoun, Jim Merrick, Dave Ortman, Tom Kiniyalocts.

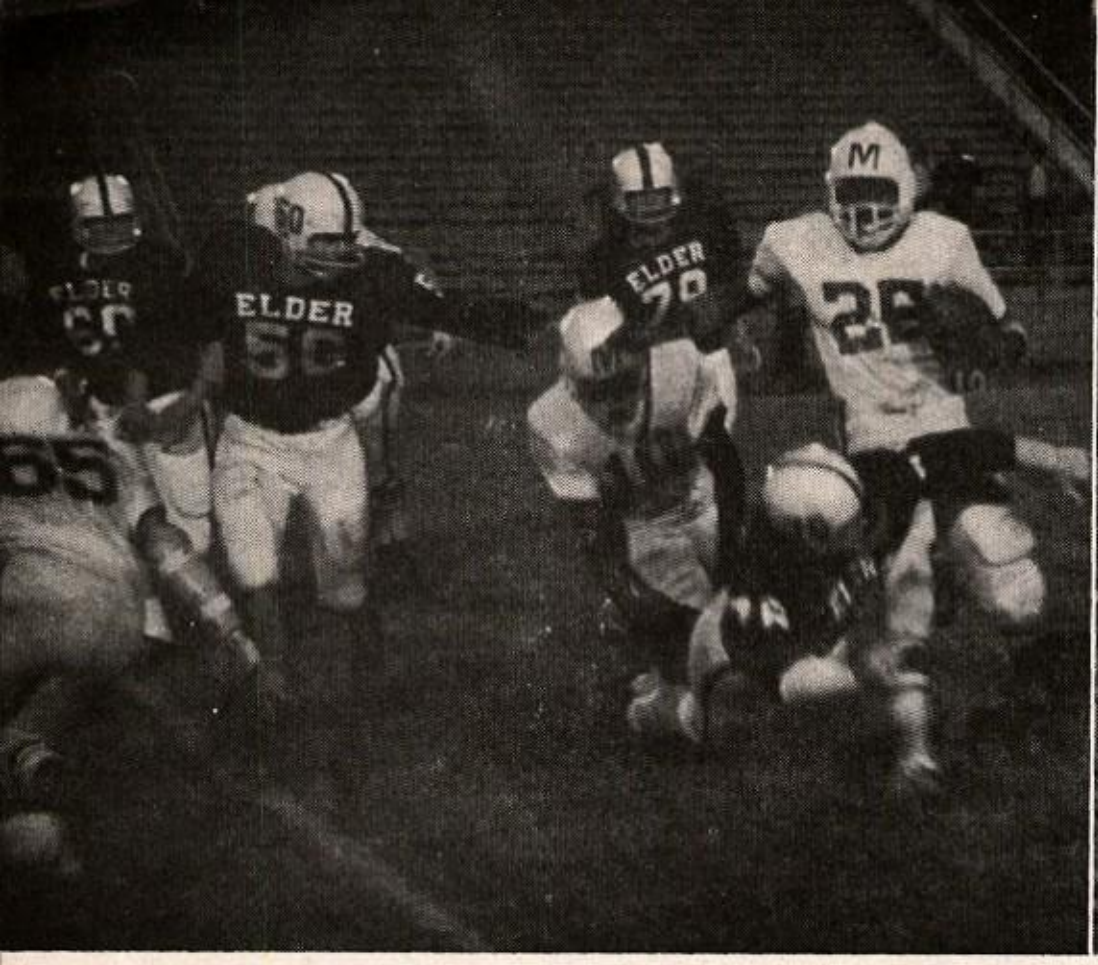
CO-CAPTAINS

L. C. Kindred Ed Hiteshue

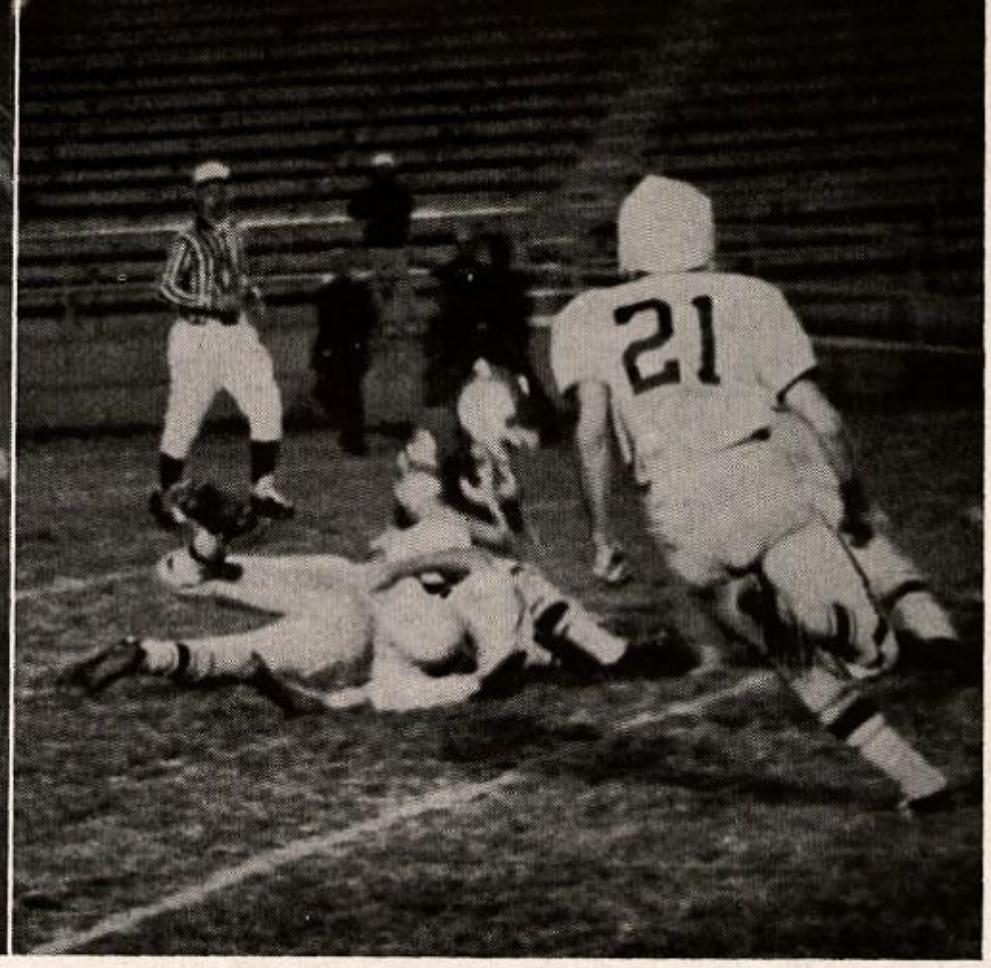


John Calhoun





Rod Cornella and Jim Ousley block for John Calhoun, sweeping around the end.



Jim Merrick rushes to aid his teammates.

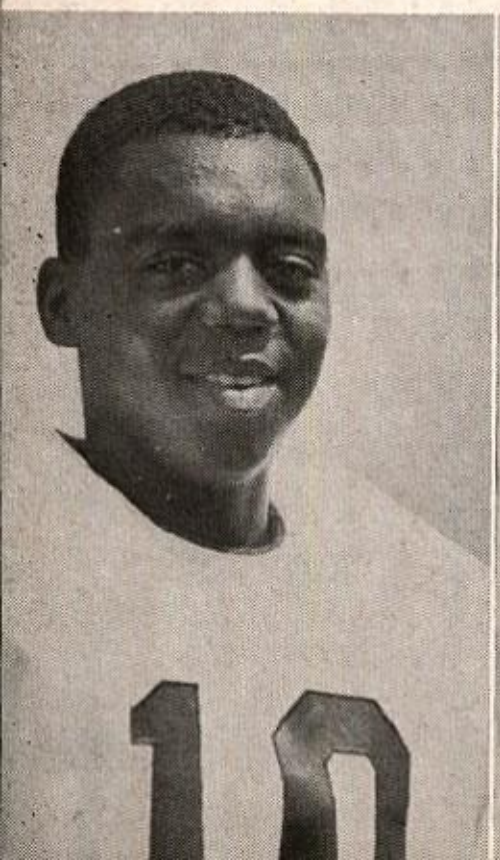
MIDDLETOWN 52
FAIRFIELD 0

The Middies took the kickoff and moved down the field with John Calhoun going fifteen yards for the score. Ousley kicked the extra point. Bob Jordan then blocked a punt in the Fairfield end zone for a touchdown. The next three touchdowns were scored by a 70 yard pass completion to John Mail and two running touchdowns by John Calhoun and Kent Goforth. Chris Henderson ran for the two points. At halftime the score was 33-0. In the second half Steve McCluskey threw thirty-eight yards to Dwight Roberts with Henderson again adding the extra points. Ousley then kicked a twenty-nine yard field goal. Finally Jimmy Thompson ended the scoring with a five yard run with sophomore Vinson adding extra points.

MIDDLETOWN 12
ELDER 34

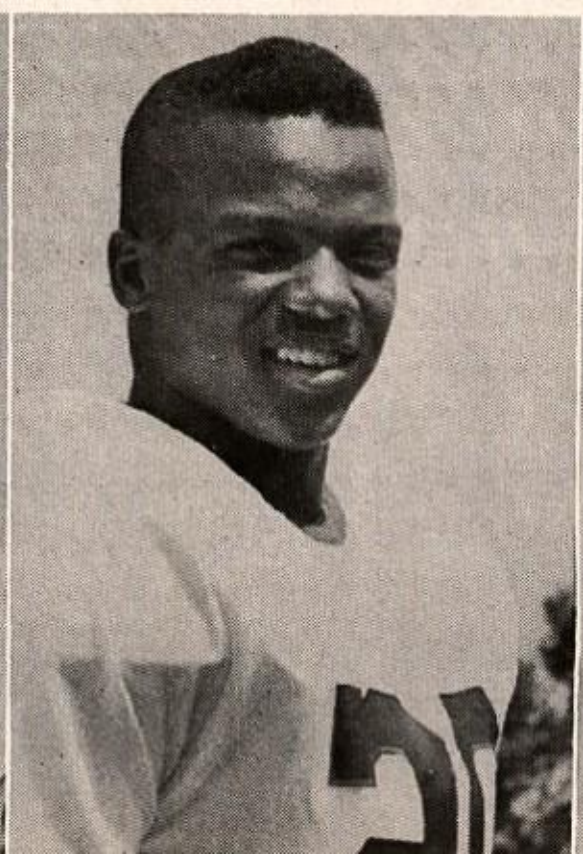
The Panthers scored early on a 4 yard run. Elder's quarterback, Baur, kicked the extra point to make the score 7-0. Calhoun scored for the Middies from the one yard line, but Jim Ousley's kick failed, leaving the score at the end of the first quarter at 7-6. Midway in the second quarter, Elder scored on a two yard run by Baur, whose kick was no good; but Elder now led 13-6. Soon afterwards Elder increased its lead to 20-6 after a blocked punt. A series of superb passing by Ousley made the score 20-12, but the point after attempt failed. With two minutes gone in the last period, the Panthers scored again. Baur completed the connection and made it 27-12. With 5:30 remaining the Panthers scored and Baur again connected, leaving the score 34-12.

Jim Ousley

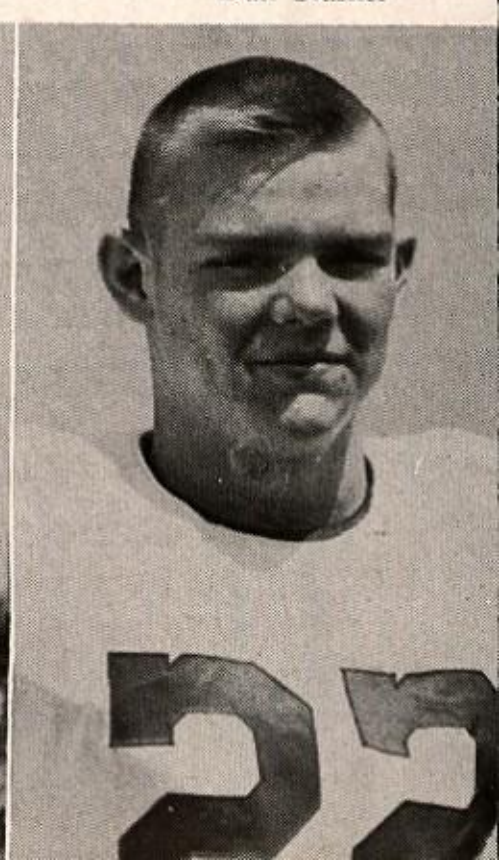


Bobby Joe Love

Dwight Roberts



Dan Slusher



Steve Wyatt

Dana Watts

Paul Moore

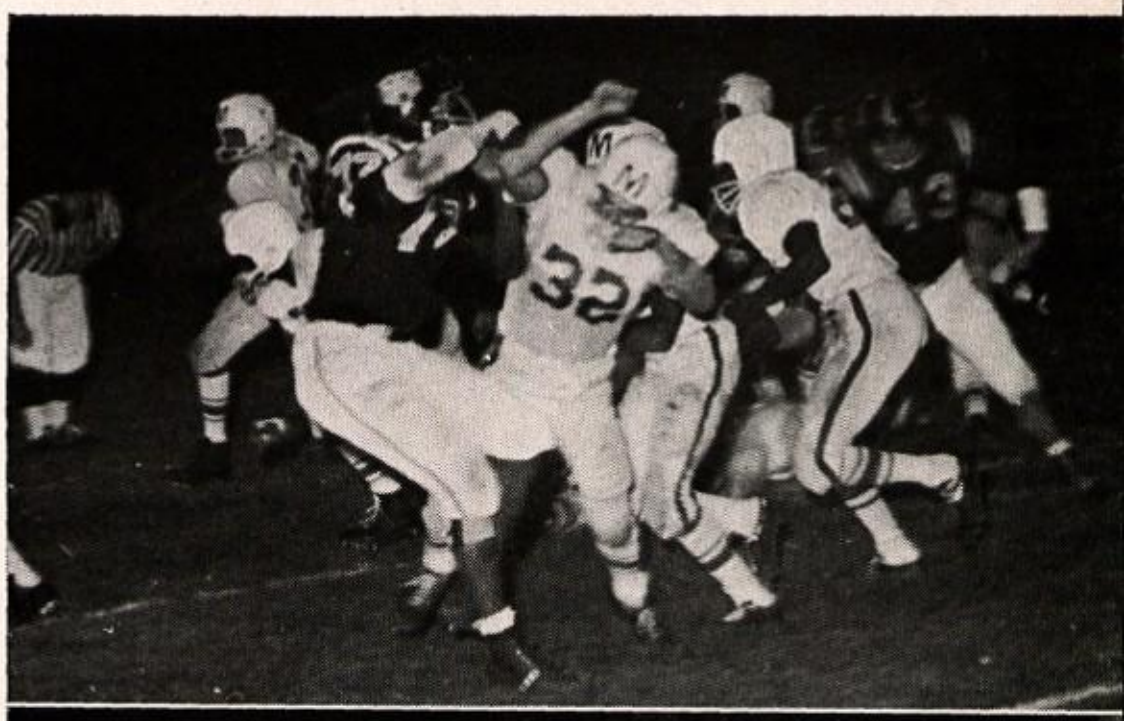
Delbert Arnold

MIDDLETOWN 6 — SPRINGFIELD 8

The Middies suffered their second straight loss after opening the season with three straight wins. A homecoming crowd of about 7,000 were treated to an exciting game where the Middies and South both had chances to break the game wide open.

The Middies scored first on a 50 yard run by John Calhoun with less than two minutes gone on the clock. The Middies tried to fake a kick with sophomore Steve McCluskey at the quarterback position, but the play was unsuccessful. In the third quarter South had already moved the ball to the Middletown fifteen yard line when a pass from the Springfield quarterback, Kuss, bounced off one South receiver and was caught by the other in the end zone for their first score of the game. The game-winning difference proved to be the two point conversion by South. In this play Kuss pitched out to Halfback Roger Strides, who took the ball in to the end zone. Later in the third quarter the Middies recovered the ball on three straight South fumbles along with a chance to score. The Middies fought their way to the Springfield 13-yard line but to no avail. The final score was Middletown 6—Springfield 8. The loss dropped the Middies into a second place tie with Hamilton Taft. At the half Ginger Osborne was crowned homecoming queen by Co-captains L. C. Kindred and Ed Hiteshue.

Dave Ortman throws a block.



Jim Ousley keeps the ball.

HOMECOMING COURT: Marli Goncalez, Sam Nelson, Ann Agee, Rex Bevis, Jenny Boxwell, Rick Fraunfelter, Faye Ford, Bruce Domineck, Patti Fruauff, Ken Thomas, Pam Goetz, Robert Liljestrand, Kristi Lewis, Bill Thorn, Cathy Little, Rick Hayes, Ginger Osborne, Rick Waxweiler, Libby Sant, David Krebs, Sharon Wells, David Sixt.

HOMECOMING

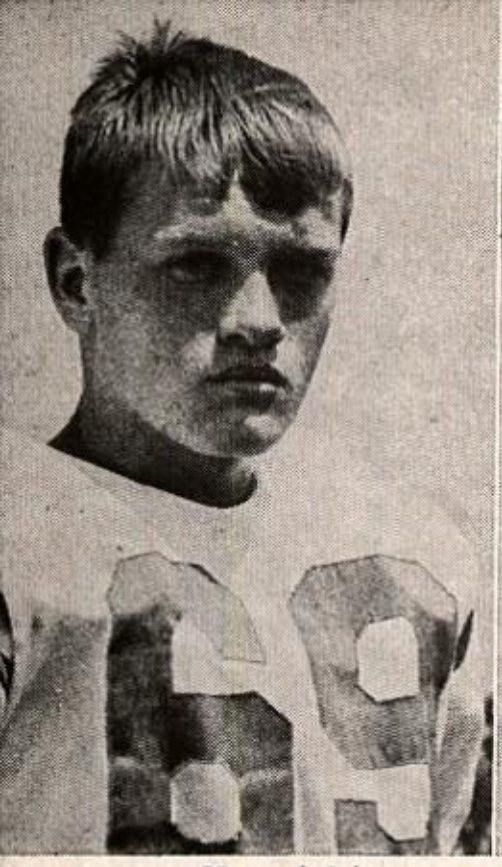
This year's homecoming, due to the re-organization of the Hi-Y clubs, was different from preceding years. Tradition was broken when it was decided that each candidate would have her own campaign committee under the leadership of her escort. Ten candidates and their escorts were chosen by the senior class this year and the campaigning was more exciting than ever.

After weeks of tedious homecoming preparation and ever-building anxiety, it was finally half-time. Around the football field paraded the queen candidates, our A.F.S. student, Marli Goncalez, and their escorts in eleven new 1965 cars. When each girl and her escort had taken their places facing a crowd possessed with eagerness, a silence overcame the fans as they awaited the announcement of the queen's name. The Homecoming Queen for 1964 was Ginger Osborne, who ruled as Queen during the second half of the game and was honored at the Homecoming Dance held in the old gym.

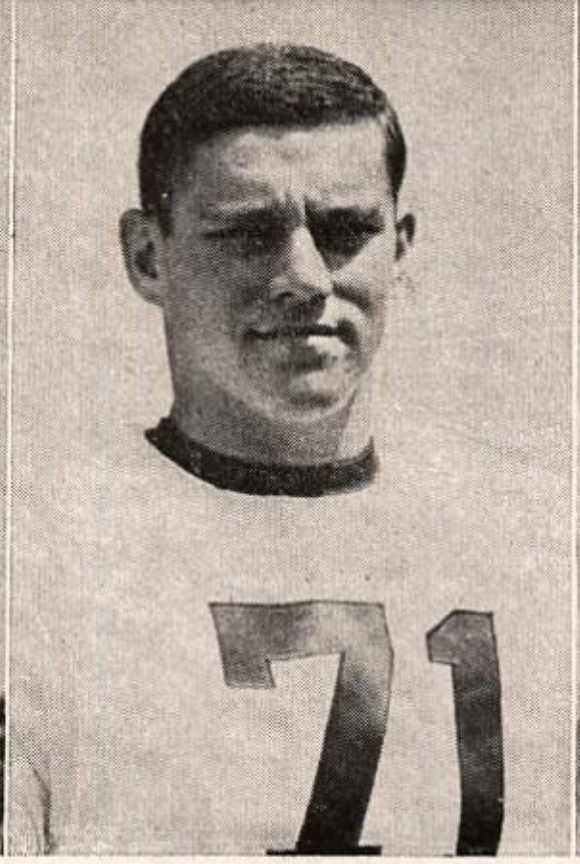
Ginger Osborne is crowned Homecoming Queen for 1964 by Co-Captains L. C. Kindred and Ed Hiteshue.

GINGER OSBORNE

HOMECOMING QUEEN



Howard Johnson



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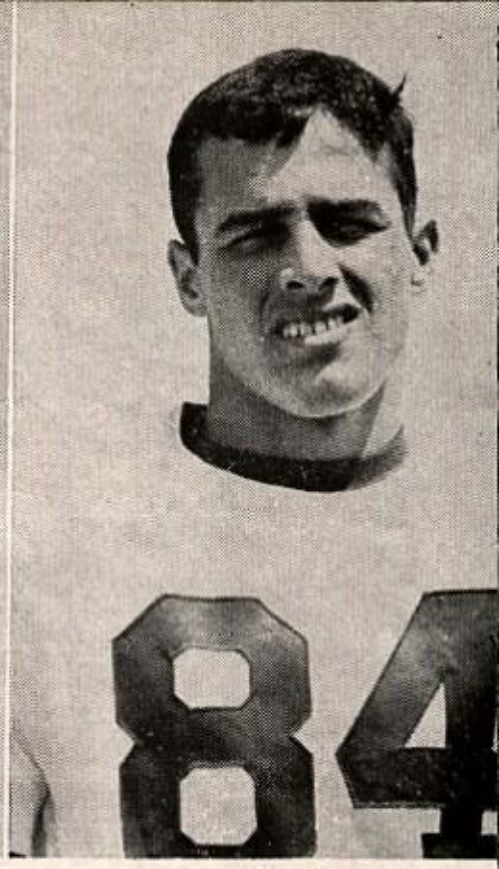
Perry Wallace



John Mail

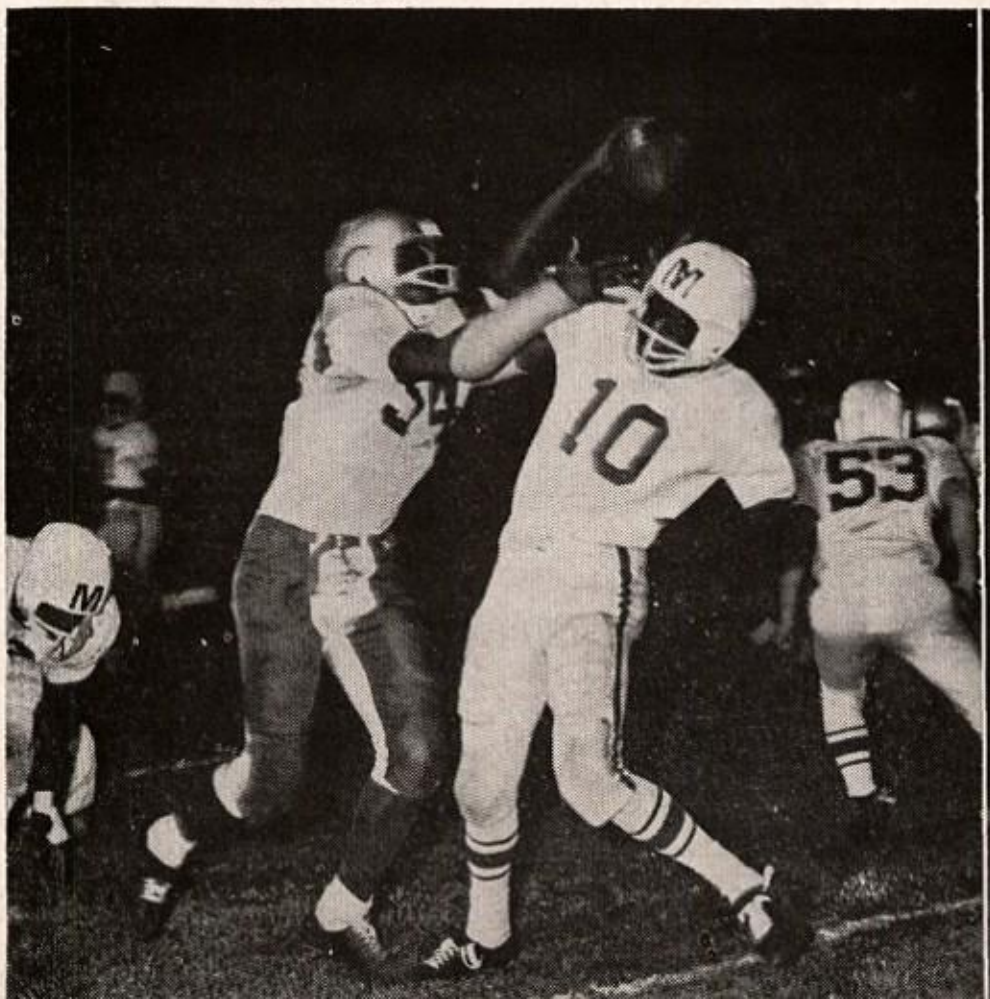
MIDDLETOWN 32 PORTSMOUTH 0

After a scoreless first quarter the Middies broke into the scoring column against Portsmouth on a ten-yard jaunt by L. C. Kindred. Jim Ousley's kick was good for the extra point. After a 20 yard pass to Bobby Joe Love, L. C. Kindred once again plunged in from the ten making the score 13-0. The Trojans threatened once in the third quarter when they stopped at the Middie 8, but late in the fourth the Middies broke the game wide open. The first score of the quarter came on a 41 yard pass from Ousley to Love. The extra point failed making the score 19-0. With a minute left, David Cook connected with a pass to Howard Johnson. Ousley's kick was not good, making the score 25-0. The final score came as the clock ran out. The extra point was good by Ousley making the final score 32-0.

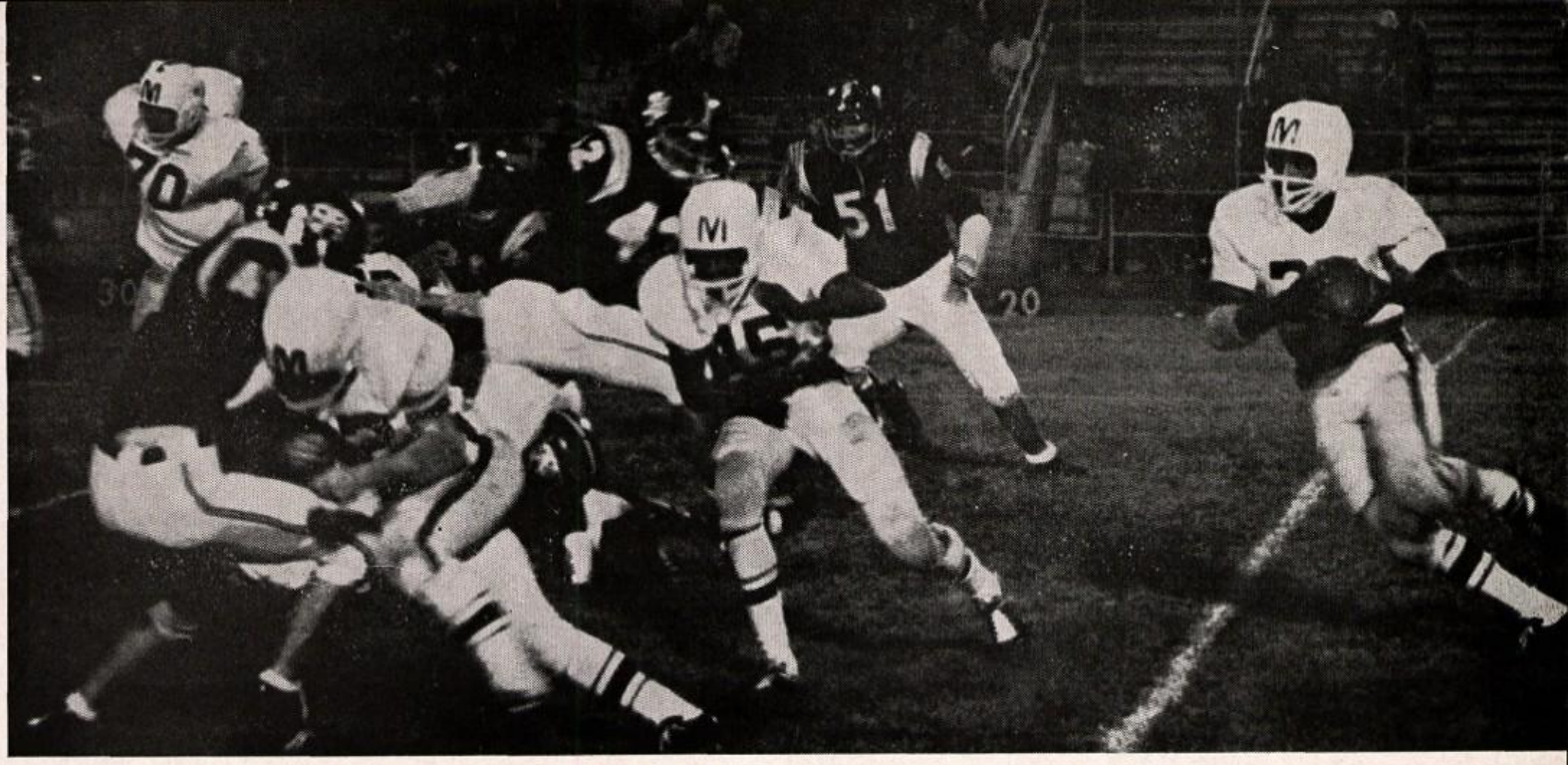
MIDDLETOWN 37 LIMA 21

The Middies showed fine resourcefulness as they used orange helmets to trip Lima 37-21. The helmets paid off as Quarterback Jim Ousley hit 9 out of 19 passes for 177 yards. The whole game was a battle of pass interceptions, field goals, long scoring passes, and a touchdown as a result of a blocked punt. Dwight Roberts hauled in passes of 51 yards and 39 yards for the Middies' first two touchdowns. Later Ousley booted a 19 yard field goal. Howard Johnson recovered a blocked punt in the end zone to score again, making the score 26-15 at the half. The Middie defense held in the second half as the Middies added two more touchdowns on a 15 yard pass to Billy Jones and a 39 yard run by L. C. Kindred.

Jim Ousley attempts a pass.



L. C. Kindred evades an enemy.



John Calhoun runs around the left as Ortman and McCluskey block.

MIDDLETOWN 27 — HAMILTON TAFT 20

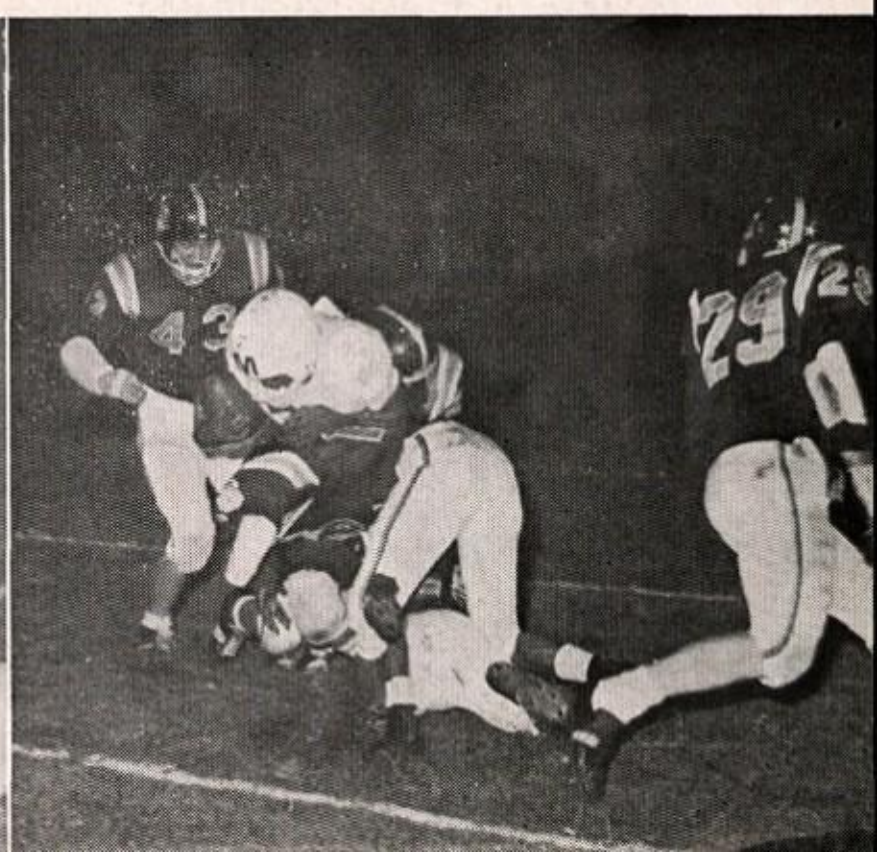
The scoring was opened with a Taft fumble recovered in the end zone by Larry Lewis. Lewis punted deep into Tiger Territory and the Middies downed the ball on the Taft one-yard line. The Tigers ran the ensuing kickoff back to the fifty-yard line, and six plays later they scored on a 35 yard aerial. The Middies retaliated with a 63 yard pass from Jim Ousley to L. C. Kindred putting the ball on Taft's two-yard line. From there John Calhoun scored putting Middletown ahead 13-6.

Taft scored first in the second quarter on a 60 yard sustained touchdown drive. However, the extra point attempt failed and Middletown still led 13-12. The Middies surged back on a 51 yard drive aided by a 34 yard pass play from Ousley to Calhoun. Kindred ran the ball in from the four to score. Ousley kicked the extra point and the Middies led 20-12. Taft retaliated with another touchdown. An off-side penalty gave Taft a second try for their extra points which they scored, tying the game 20-20 at halftime.

In the second half, the Middies never allowed the Tigers two consecutive first downs in any one drive. Defensive End Ron Hamilton blocked a Taft punt late in the fourth quarter, falling on the ball on the Taft 20. The Middies drove to break the tie and leave the score 27-20.

L. C. Kindred gets the call to run.

John Calhoun is stopped by two foes.



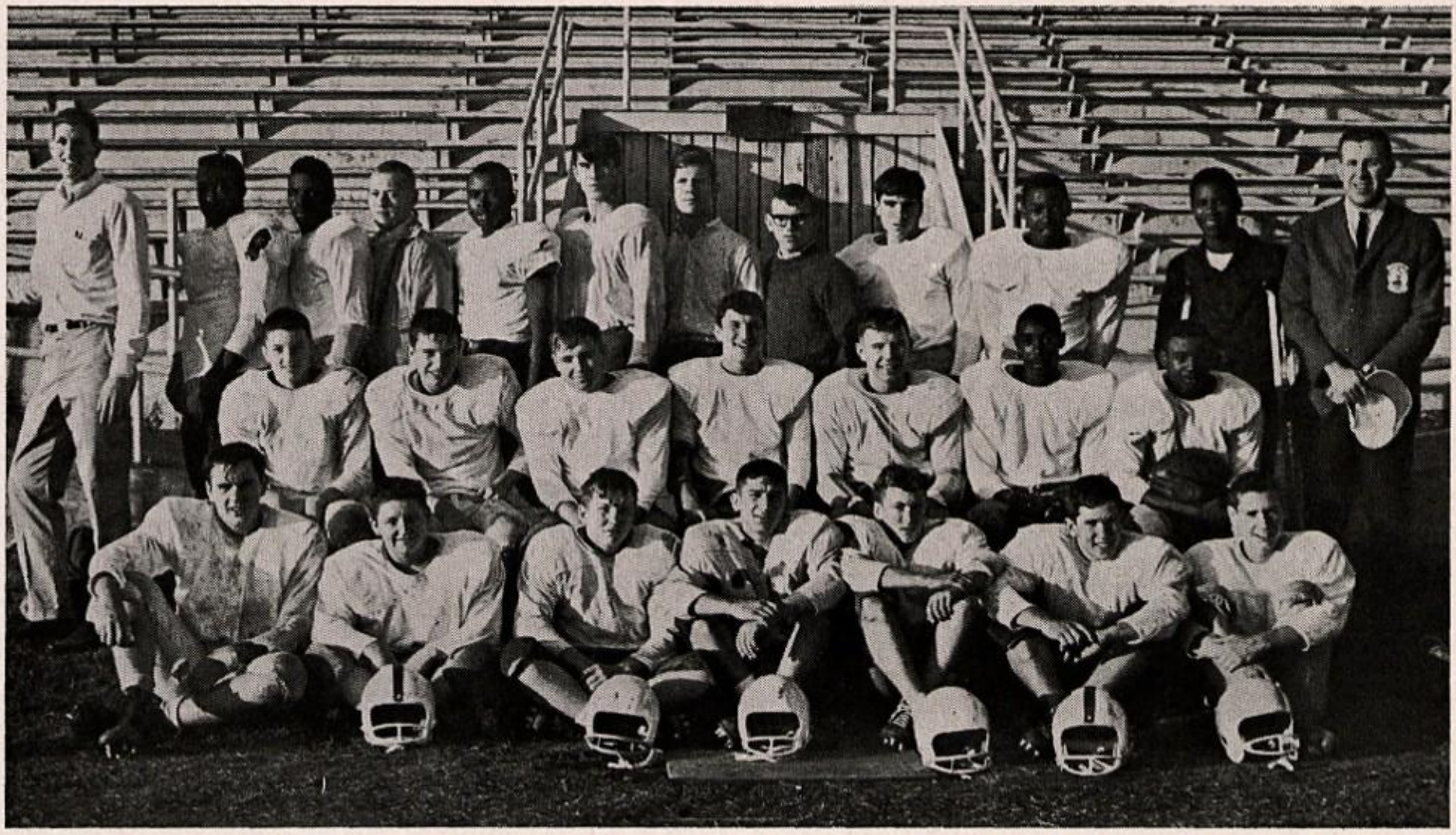
John Calhoun runs the ball.

Jim Ousley kicks off.

MIDDLETOWN 14 — GARFIELD 7

Bobby Love reaches high over an enemy to grab a pass.

The Middies' offense sputtered early in the first quarter. Garfield seemed to be moving for an early touchdown, but a fumble recovery by the Middies' Larry Lewis stopped the drive on the Midd'e forty-five yard line. From there the offense perked up and moved down the field with John Calhoun and L. C. Kindred making long runs. Calhoun finished the drive with a plunge for a touchdown from the one. Jim Ousley's kick was good and the Middies led 7-0. However, Garfield came right back with their Fullback Hudson going fifteen yards for the score. The kick was good and the score remained 7-7 at halftime. Midway through the third quarter the Middies scored what proved to be the winning points. Jim Ousley then hit End Bobby Joe Love with a pass for a 30 yard touchdown. Ousley's kick was again good and the score was 14-7. The rest of the game was a defensive struggle and the Middies ended the season on a winning note.



JUNIOR VARSITY FOOTBALL: *1st Row* — Fred Armitage, Rick Burns, Jay Moorehead, Bob Lucas, Gary Hounchell, John Ortman, Larry Deisler. *2nd Row* — Dan Bremer, Jim McGuire, John Lepisto, Marty Lewis, Steve Cox, Bruce Sorrells, Darrell Crenshaw. *3rd Row* — Mark Danner, Dale Shields, Joe Thomas, Harold Howell, Charles Truss, Don Wendell, Ken Robinson, Richard Sorrell, Jim Allen, Steve McCluskey, Bob Vinson, Coach Dan Moore.

Middie Junior Varsity has undefeated season.

THE JUNIOR VARSITY FOOTBALL TEAM continued the winning tradition that has become the trademark of Junior Varsity football at Middletown. The team, commonly called the "Bandidos" because of its multicolor uniform and rugged defense, truly exemplified the "Middie Magic" as it posted a 6-0 record.

The season started early for Coach Dan Moore and his team when they journeyed to Oxford on a hot August afternoon to defeat the Talawanda High reserve team 12-0 on long runs by Bob Vinson and Larry Jo Sullivan. In the next game with Fairfield, Steve McCluskey passed for six touchdowns to Bob Vinson. Each of these plays covered more than 40 yards. Larry Jo Sullivan broke loose late in the game for a 60-yard touchdown run to clinch a 42-0 victory.

The future Middies then defeated Hamilton-Garfield 20-8 in a come-from-behind victory. Middletown scored first on a short plunge by McCluskey, but the extra-point attempt failed. Hamilton Garfield wasted no time in the third quarter, however, as they connected on a long 60-yard pass and an extra point run to forge ahead 8-6. It was then that Mark Danner began to use his superior height and pass-catching ability to penetrate the Hamilton defense. The unstoppable pass combination of McCluskey and Danner put the J.V.'s ahead in the final seconds on two swift touchdowns.

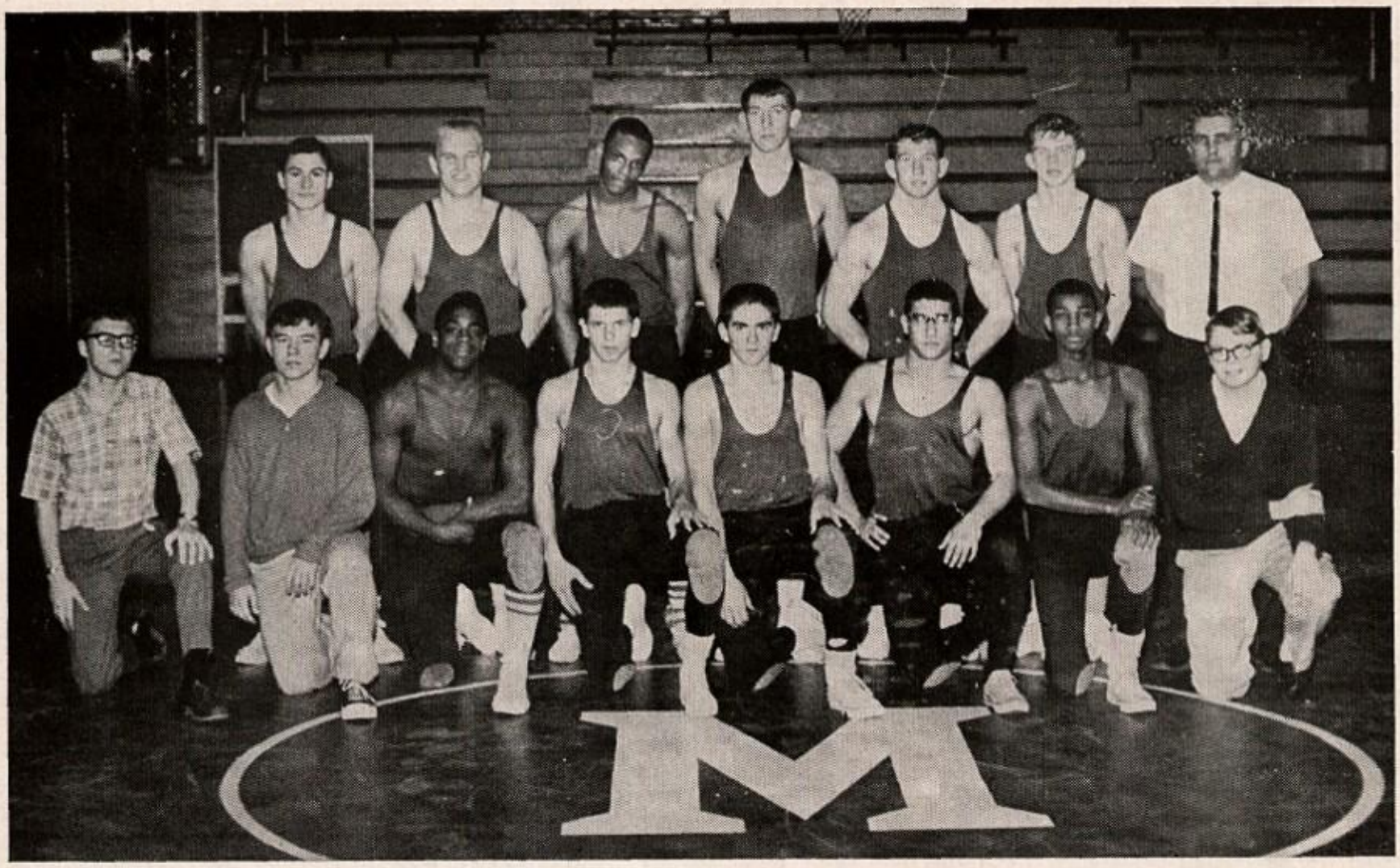
The fourth victory for the "Bandidos" came at the expense of Hamilton Taft. The game was never close as Halfback Bob Lucas ran for one touchdown and passed for another to End Gary Hounchell. Lucas also scored 3 extra points and Larry Jo Sullivan turned in a dazzling 65-yard run to help beat Taft on their home field, 32-6.

Hamilton Garfield tried to avenge its first loss by scoring early in the second contest with the J.V.'s. But alert defensive play by Irvin Gregory and Fred Armitage netted two quick touchdowns, and the Middies rolled over Garfield again 28-8.

Approaching the last game with Richmond, Indiana, Coach Moore had lost eight key men due to injuries, but the "Bandidos" lived up to their name by using tough defense and Fullback John Ortman's two touchdowns to shut out Richmond 14-0.

The 1964 Junior Varsity team was as exciting as its record indicated. Especially outstanding was the defensive play of Jim McGuire, Harold Howell, Joe Thomas, Fred Armitage, and Dale Shields. This team is sure to make a great contribution to the 1965 Varsity season.

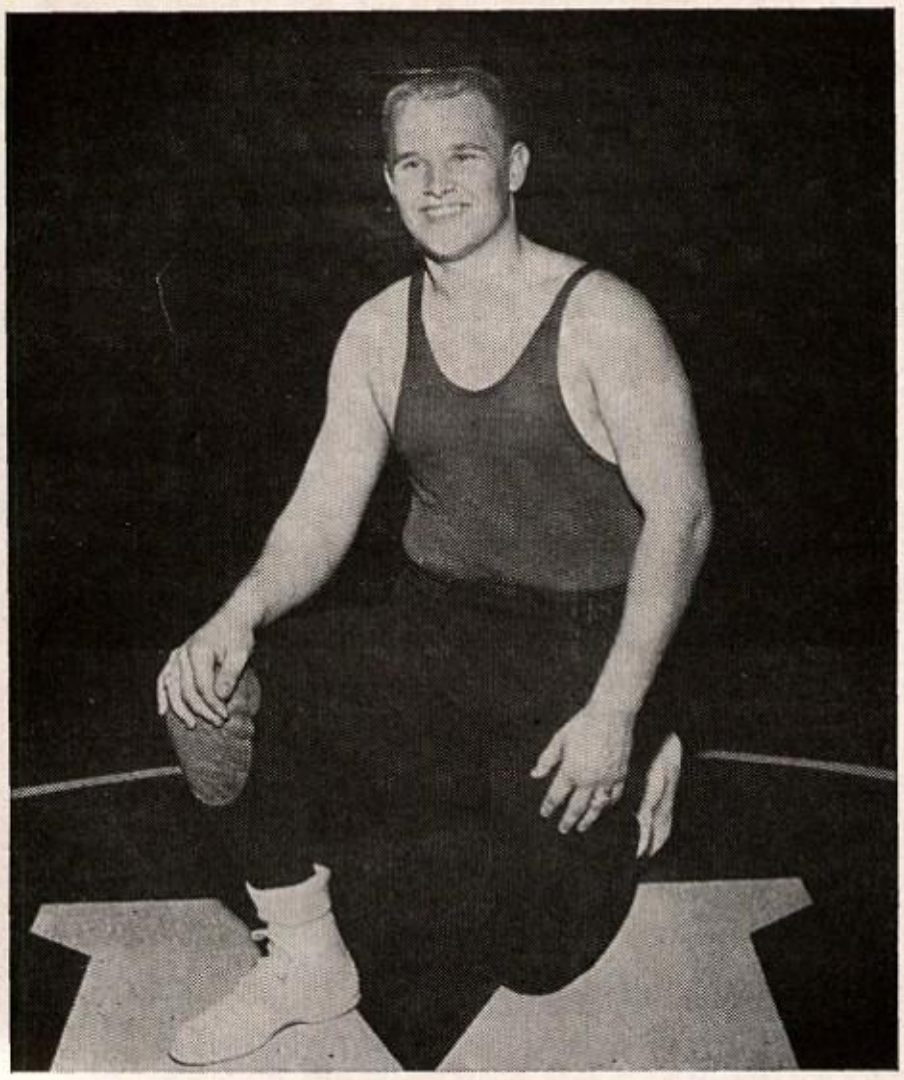
Coach Dan Moore



WRESTLING TEAM: *Kneeling* — Jim Cornwell, Steve Cox, Irvin Gregory, Dave Minor, Rick Montgomery, Bruce Nerenburg, Gordon Drennen, Manager Larry Shyers. *Standing* — Carl Dennin, Henny Klaassen Van Oorschot, Bobby Joe Love, Dennis Longworth, Dave Ortman, Bob Manning, Coach Jack Gordon.

WRESTLING

Captain — Henny Klaassen Van Oorschot

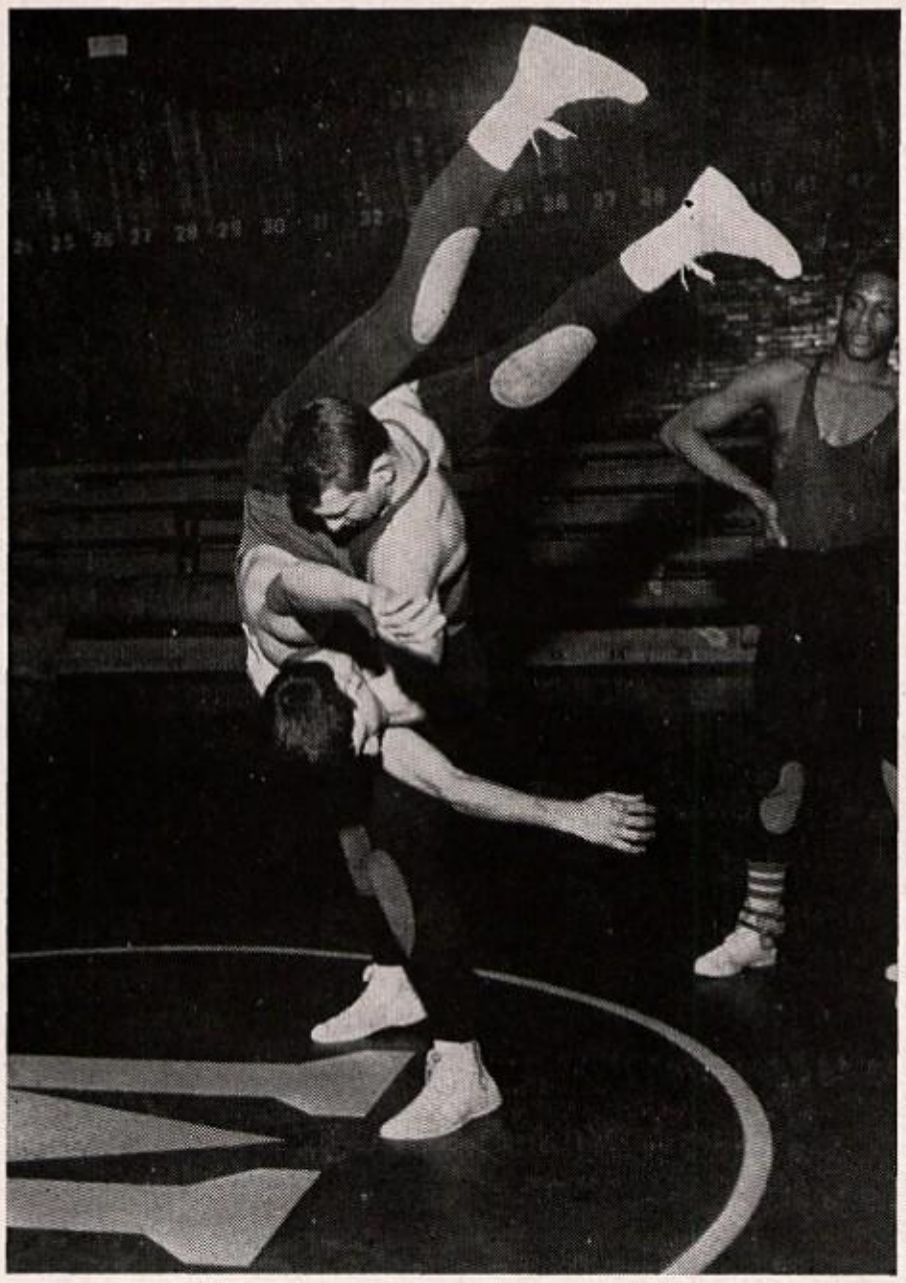


The Middie Grapplers had very little success this year after a very fine showing the preceding year. The Middies failed to win in eight matches; however, a few of the boys showed some outstanding individual effort.

Dave Ortman (175 lb.), Henny Klaassen (Hvy) and Dennis Longworth had winning seasons and did well in the district tourney at Cincinnati. Bobby Love also flashed form as a real "comer" but was constantly hurt by inexperience. With the exception of Ortman, Klaassen, and Longworth, all the Middies were new and inexperienced. Also, because of the lack of facilities, many of last year's team did not participate; and many matches were wrestled with the Middies forfeiting 2 or 3 classes. However, improvement is looked for next year.

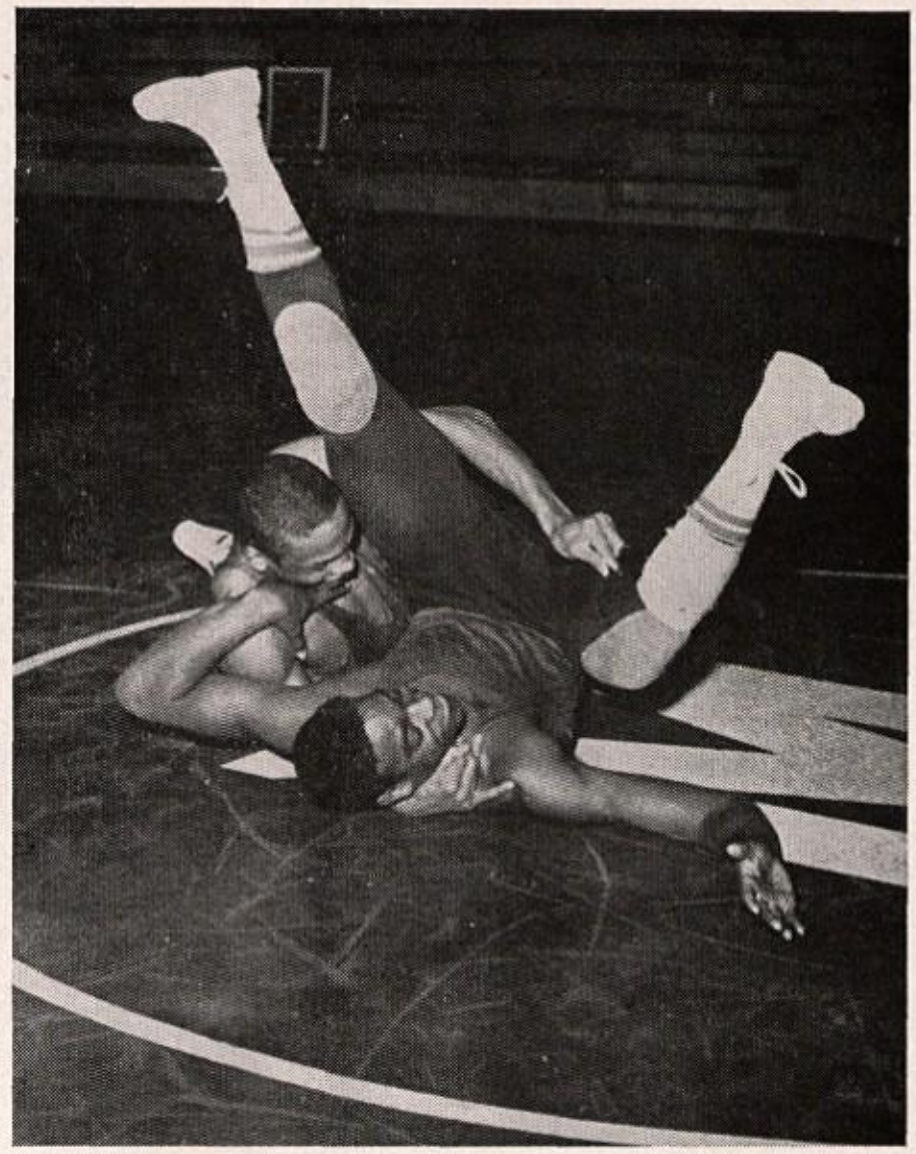
Lettermen were Gordon Drennen, senior; Bob Manning, junior; Dave Minor, junior; Rick Montgomery, junior; Bobby Love, junior; Irv Gregory, junior; Joe Thomas, sophomore; Dave Ortman, Henny Klaassen Van Oorschot, and Dennis Longworth, all seniors.

Coach Jack Gordon



Dave Ortman slams Dave Minor.

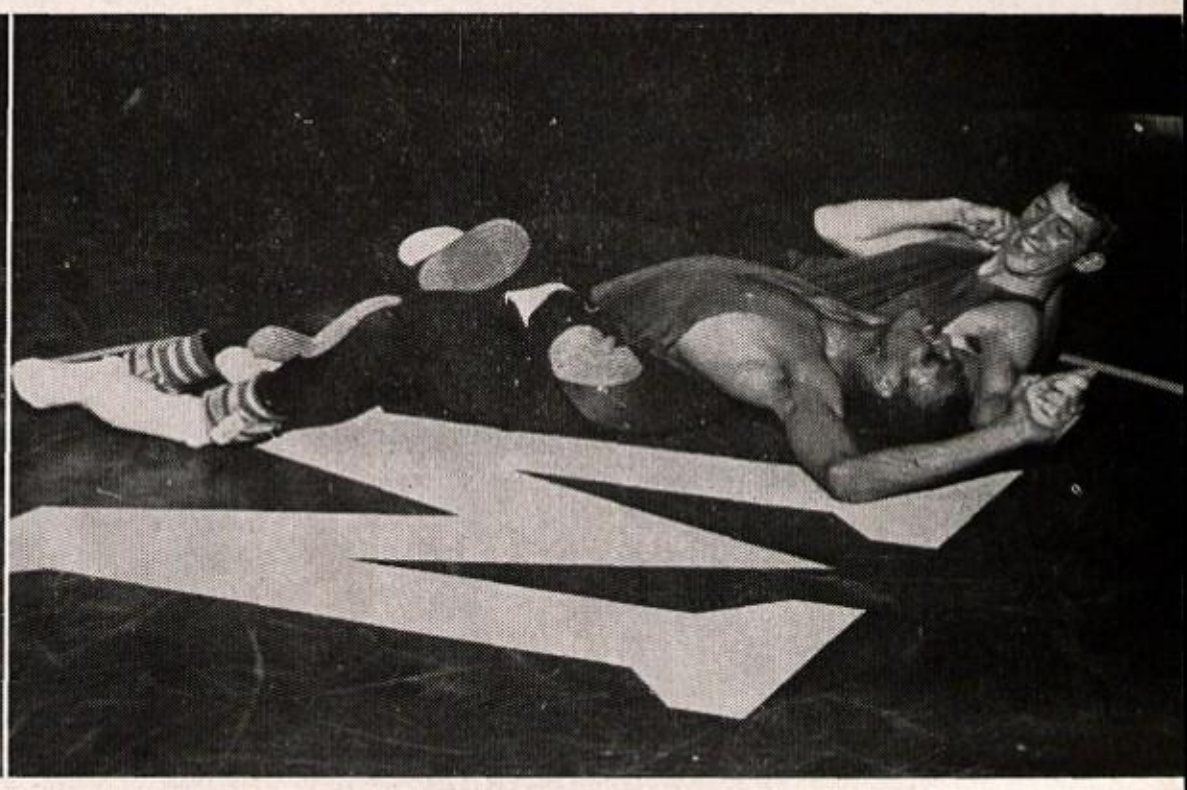
Bobby Love p'ns Irvin Gregory.



WRESTLING

Bob Manning and Rick Montgomery.

Dennis Longworth and Bobby Love.



THE MIDDIE CROSS COUNTRY TEAM for 1964 enjoyed another fine season, winning all three dual meets and all three triangular meets. The harriers also won the Middletown Invitational, the G.O.L., and the district meet. In the Miami Invitational they placed third out of seventeen teams. In the state meet they placed eleventh out of thirty-three teams.

In cross country meets, scoring is based only on the first five boys finishing for each team. The teams are given points according to the places taken by their runners. In other words, first place would be given one point, second place would be given two points; third, three points, and so on. The winning team is the one with the lowest number of points.

Said Mr. Reece, "It has been my pleasure to work with such a fine group of boys who wanted to win. I was pleased with the showings of Combs, Clements, Imhoff, and Minor. I am looking forward to next year for we are hoping that Combs will work hard over the summer and win state honors next year."

CROSS COUNTRY RECORD

Middletown 15	Fairfield 50	
Middletown 21	St. Bernard 34	
Middletown 17	Monroe 59	Madison 62
Middletown 1st	Dayton Roth & Colonel White 2nd & 3rd	
Middletown 18	Franklin 53	Monroe 72 Madison 83
Middletown 17	Franklin 43	
Middletown 1st	Trenton 2nd	Monroe 3rd
Middletown 24	Lebanon 33	

CROSS COUNTRY

CROSS COUNTRY: *1st Row* — Anthony Clements, Will Draut, Dave Minor, Horace Wells, Mike Day. *2nd Row* — Ted Parrella, Rick Combs, Dennis Longworth, David Deaton, Jack Zecher, Don Imhoff, Coach Ed Reece.

Anthony Clements, Rick Combs, Will Draut, David Deaton, Don Imhoff, Horace Wells, Dave Minor, and Mike Day prepare to start.

OLYMPIC "RUN-FOR-THE-MONEY"

1964 being an Olympic year, the Middletown High School Cross Country Team participated in an Olympic "Run-for-the-Money" from Middletown to Franklin. The project was devised to encourage the citizens of this area to donate money to the fund to send this country's athletes to Japan. The event consisted of the boys' running a given distance with the symbolic "Olympic Torch." After a boy had run for a while, he passed the torch on to another runner. This procedure was continued until the last runner reached Franklin.

Tony Clements passes the "Torch" to Don Imhoff in the "Run-for-the-Money."

VARSITY BASKETBALL: *1st Row* — Manager Jerry McCandless, Billy Jones, Ken Cohen, John Calhoun, Duane Barnette, 21-Quit, Dave Sebastian. *2nd Row* — Coach Ed Payne, Jim Ousley, 14-Quit, Gary Emrick, Ken Bush, Mark Danner, David Sixt, Charles Mack, Steve Wyatt, Coach Paul Walker.

VARSITY BASKETBALL

THE 1964-65 BASKETBALL season at Middletown High School was a disappointing one for all Middie fans. This year's squad started out in fine form, winning its first two games fairly comfortably; but their loss to Withrow started a series of heart-breaking basketball games that was to see the Middies finish the season with an 8-10 record, which was Coach Paul Walker's first losing season. In the Greater Ohio League, the Walkermen lost seven of their ten games, picking up two victories from Fairfield and one from Lima. Yet in their last game with Dayton Belmont, a non-league foe, the Middies played one of the finest games of the season and made their second highest point showing. The Middies gave a fine performance in the Sectionals at Oxford, where they won their first two games before losing another heart-breaker to Finneytown.

Said Coach Paul Walker, "Although we put in longer and harder hours of practice than we have in years past, we were unable to put together a team that could perform or play consistent ball. Since these boys had just as much ability as many of the other boys that I have coached over the years, it was a puzzling and baffling year for me. As a coach I always hope to instill in our players the desire to work together as a team, to hustle, and to sacrifice. Somewhere along the line with this team, I feel that I was unable to get these essential elements of a real team across. I hope that as they look back over the season they will be able to profit by the lessons they learned in defeat and to value the ones that they learned in winning."

BASKETBALL SEASON

Middletown	78	Fostoria	49
Middletown	69	Franklin	41
Middletown	59	Cincinnati Withrow	61
Middletown	55	Lima	51
Middletown	86	Colerain	64
Middletown	62	Hamilton Taft	63
Middletown	66	Dayton Roosevelt	65
Middletown	70	Springfield South	75
Middletown	71	Fairfield	42
Middletown	62	Portsmouth	63
Middletown	70	Hamilton Garfield	82
Middletown	93	Fairfield	59
Middletown	44	Cincinnati Elder	54
Middletown	51	Springfield South	60
Middletown	69	Lima	75
Middletown	59	Hamilton Taft	73
Middletown	79	Hamilton Garfield	82
Middletown	90	Dayton Belmont	69

SECTIONAL TOURNAMENT

Middletown	60	Ross	53
Middletown	74	Colerain	57
Middletown	58	Finneytown	59

Middletown 78
Fostoria 49

The Middies started the season out on the right foot by soundly thrashing Fostoria in their opener. It was the first time the two clubs had ever met.

The Walkermen began slowly offensively by scoring only 13 points in the first quarter. However, the Fostorians were somewhat overawed by the reputation of the Middies and they were able to net only 5 points in the initial quarter.

In the second quarter the Middie netters found the range and pumped in 12 baskets out of 24 attempts to pull away from the less-accurate Fostoria club. Charles Mack led this second quarter surge by dumping in 6 baskets for 12 of his 22 points. The Middies led at halftime 38-19.

The local boys became even more deadly in the third quarter hitting 10 out of 14 attempts from the field. Leading 61-32 by the end of the third quarter, Walker took out his starters and gave all 14 varsity players some game experience.

Overall the Middies hit 32 out of 72 from the floor for a 44.4 per cent average, while Fostoria connected only on 17 out of 69 for a 24.6 per cent. Mack led the locals with 22 points followed by Ousley with 15 and Jones with 10 points.

Steve Wyatt reaches high for the ball as Mike Miller and Charles Mack look on.

Billy Jones evades a foe.

Middletown 69
Franklin 41

The Middletown Middies scored their second victory with a 69-41 win over the neighboring Franklin Wildcats. Coach Walker's Middies met a smaller but determined Franklin club, who, with a lot of hustle and outside shooting, played a sound first half, the Middies holding only a three point lead at half time. But the size and shooting of the Middies proved to be too much for the Wildcats in the second half.

In the first quarter, the Franklin Wildcats overcame a seven point deficit to outscore the Middies 15-13 after the White and Purple men lost their shooting touch. However, with little time left in the first half, the Franklin team went cold; and the Middies regained a 24-21 lead.

In the second half, the Middies became really hot, outscoring the Wildcats 45-20. The Middies shot a respectable 36.7 per cent. Of the twelve Middies who saw action, eight got into the scoring column. Leading the Middies were Charles Mack and Jim Ousley with 14 points and David Sixt with 16 points. Franklin's Retherford was high scorer with 19 points.

Ken Cohen pulls down a rebound.

Middletown 59
Withrow 61

The Middies got their first taste of defeat at the hands of the Withrow Tigers, 61-59. The Middies trailed 18 to 12 at the end of the first period; 36 to 31 at the half.

After trailing by as many as 13 points, the Middies came to life; forward David Sixt's hot shooting put them back in the game. Then, with a little more than four minutes left in the third quarter, a long shot by Jim Ousley put the Middies in front for the first time.

From that point on it became a very close game, the Middies taking a 47 to 46 lead into the fourth quarter. Both the Middies and Tigers he'd the lead in the final stanza. After Gary Emrick and Jim Ousley put the Middies ahead by two with about a minute to go, the Tigers tied the score.

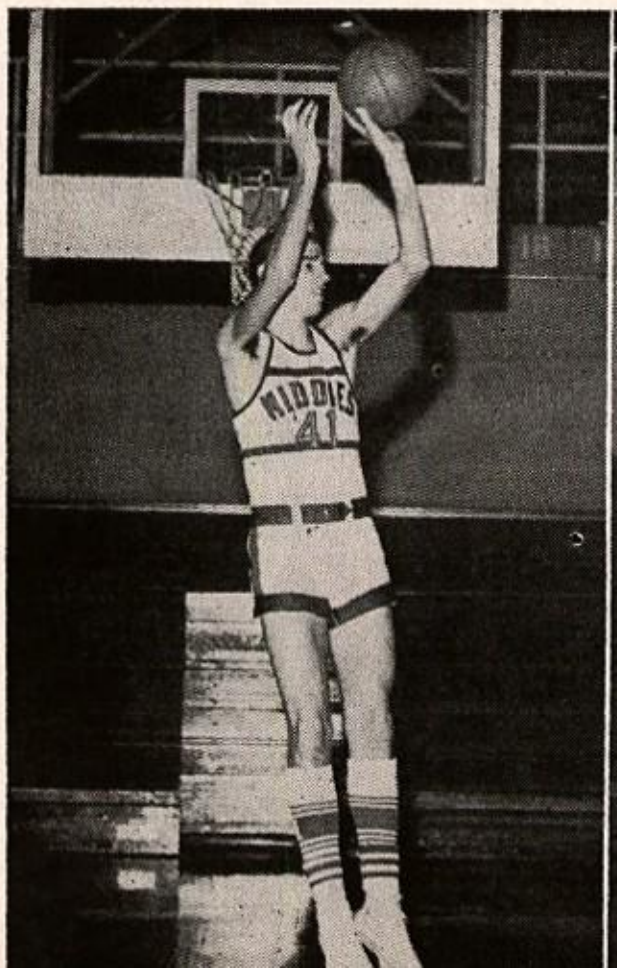
It seemed as if the Middies would have the last chance to score when they took possession with a little over a minute to go, but a missed shot and a rebound by Withrow turned the tables. The Tigers froze the ball until there were 14 seconds remaining. They then called time out for new strategy which paid off, as they passed to Adams, who sank a shot to win the game.

The scoring was as follows: Dave Sixt, 23 points; Charles Mack, 14 points; Jim Ousley, 14 points; and Gary Emrick, with 8 points.

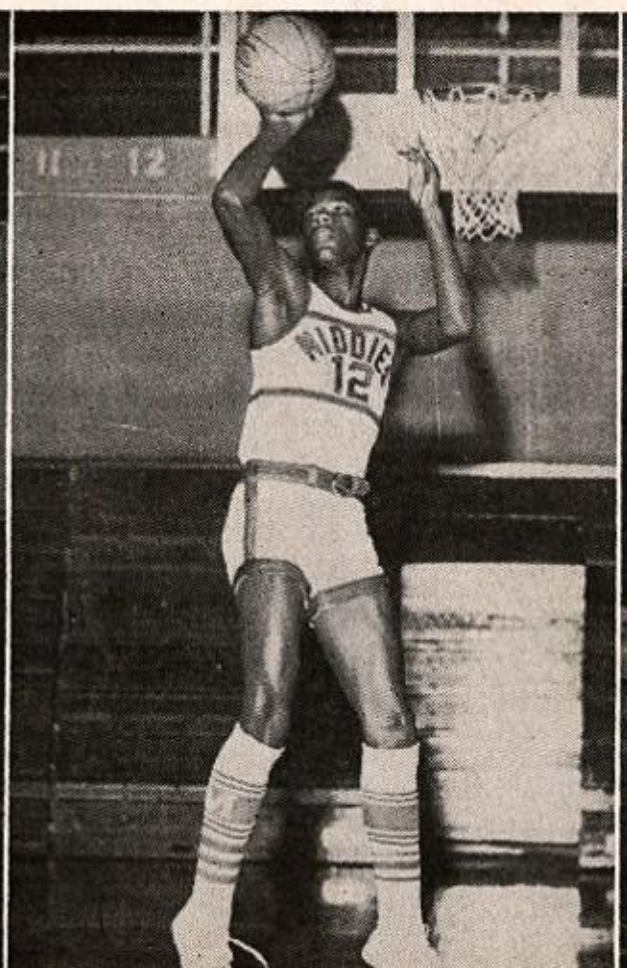
Middletown 55
Lima 51

The Middies started out as if they were going to run Lima right out of their own gym. Dave Sixt had nine points midway through the first period, but the Middie attack stalled and the quarter ended with the Middies ahead 17-13. In the second quarter the Middies got into some foul trouble with Charles Mack and Gary Emrick picking up three fouls apiece. Lima got hot and outscored the Middies by four points to take a 36-32 halftime lead. Lima continued to outscore the Middies by eight points to lead 47-39 at the end of three quarters. In the fourth quarter, the Middies forced Lima into mistakes and cut their lead. With one minute and twenty seconds remaining in the game, Jim Ousley hit two free throws to give the Middies a one point lead. The big basket was hit by Steve Wyatt, which gave the Middies a three point lead. The game ended with Ousley hitting a free throw to end the scoring at 55-51. The Middies were led by Ousley with 14 points and Sixt with 11.

David Sixt



Charles Mack



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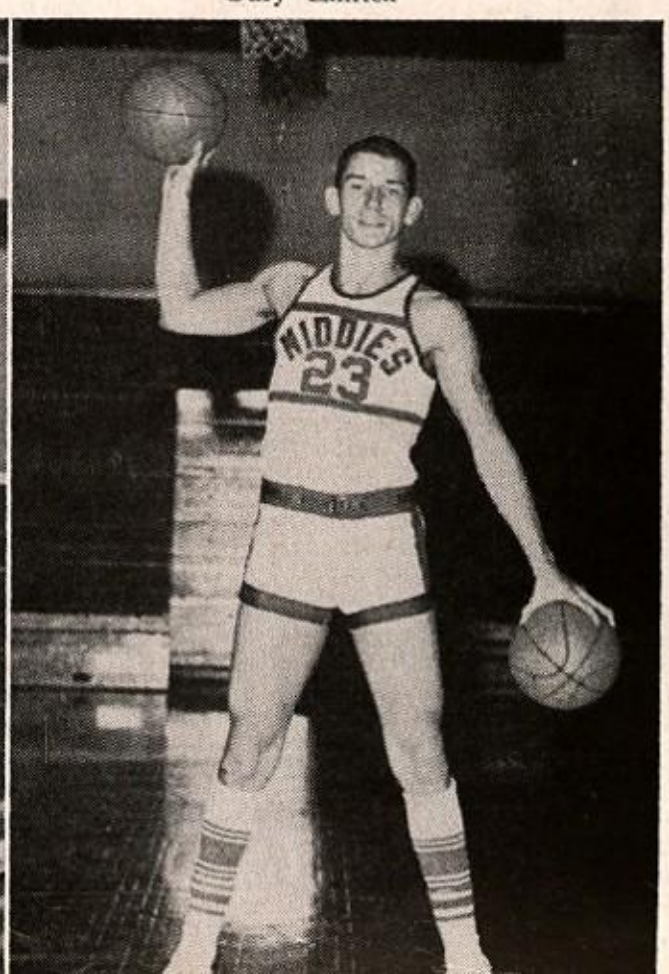
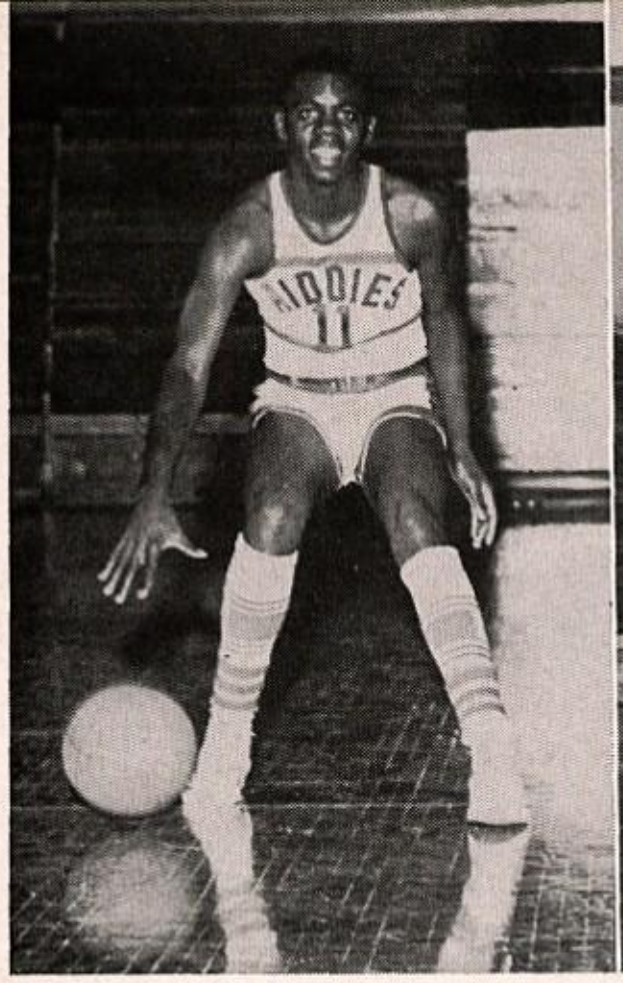
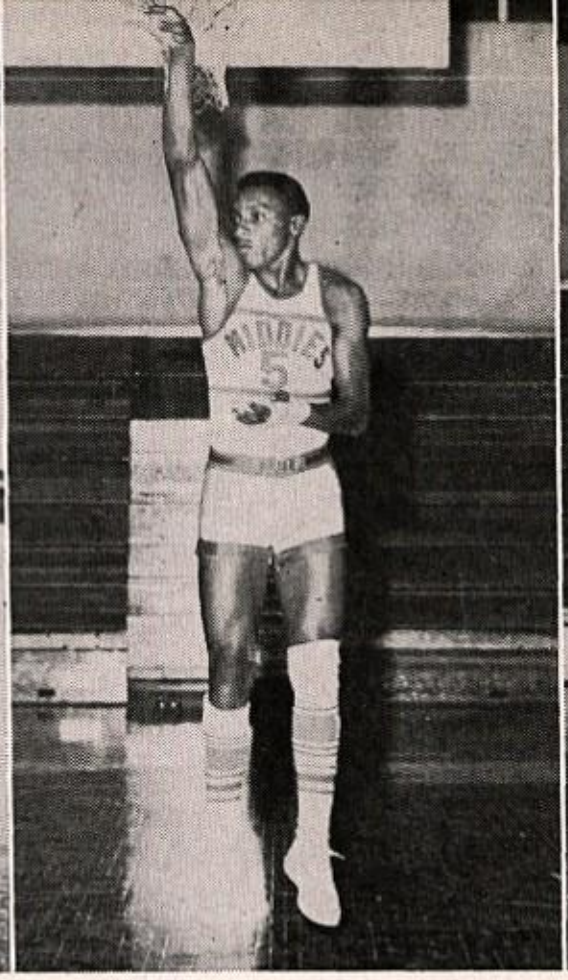




Jim Ousley



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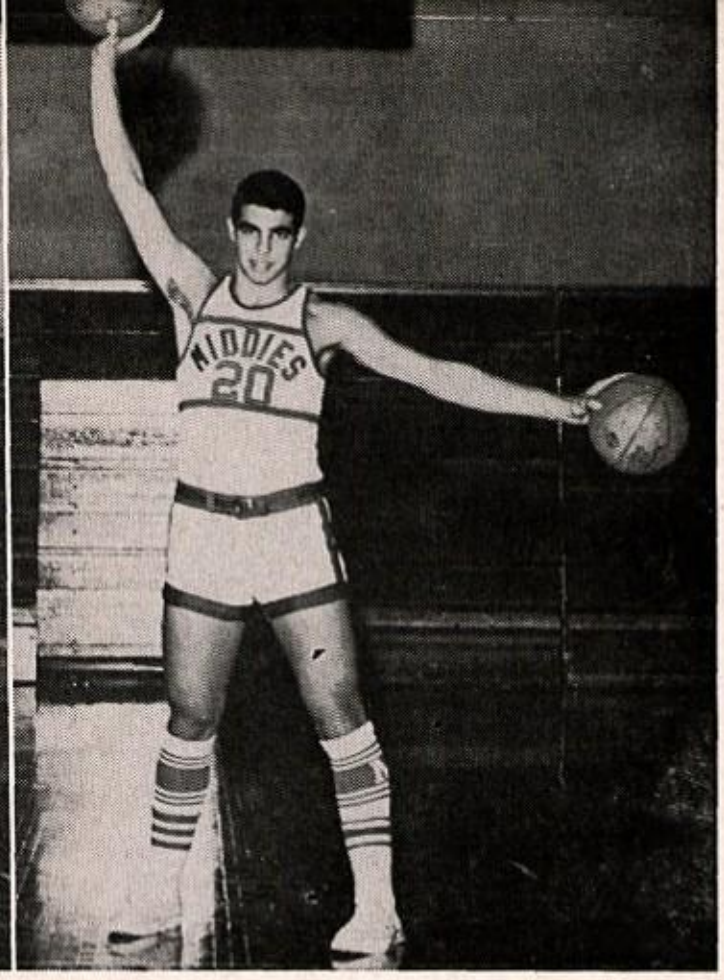
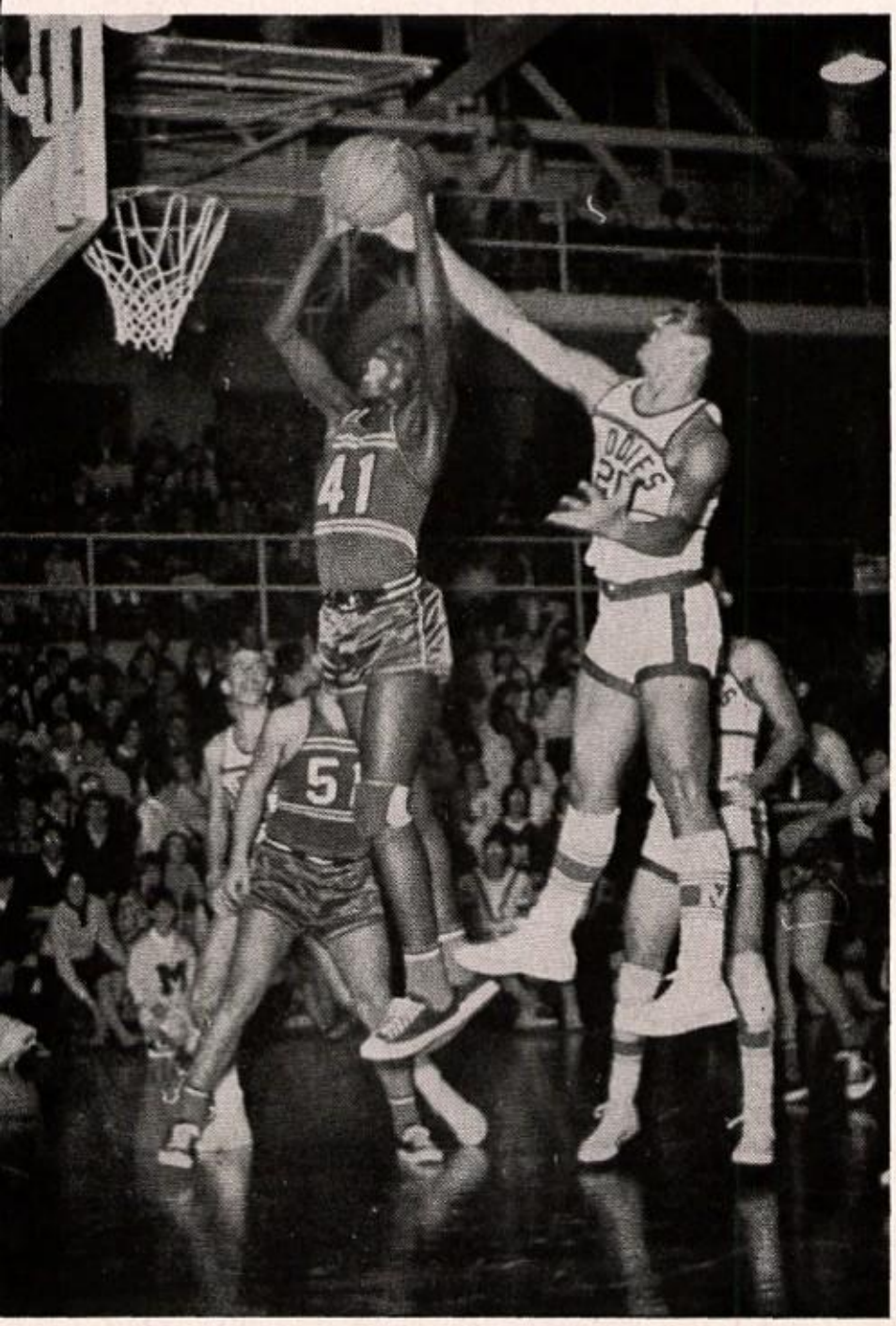


Ken Cohen

Middletown 86 Colerain 64



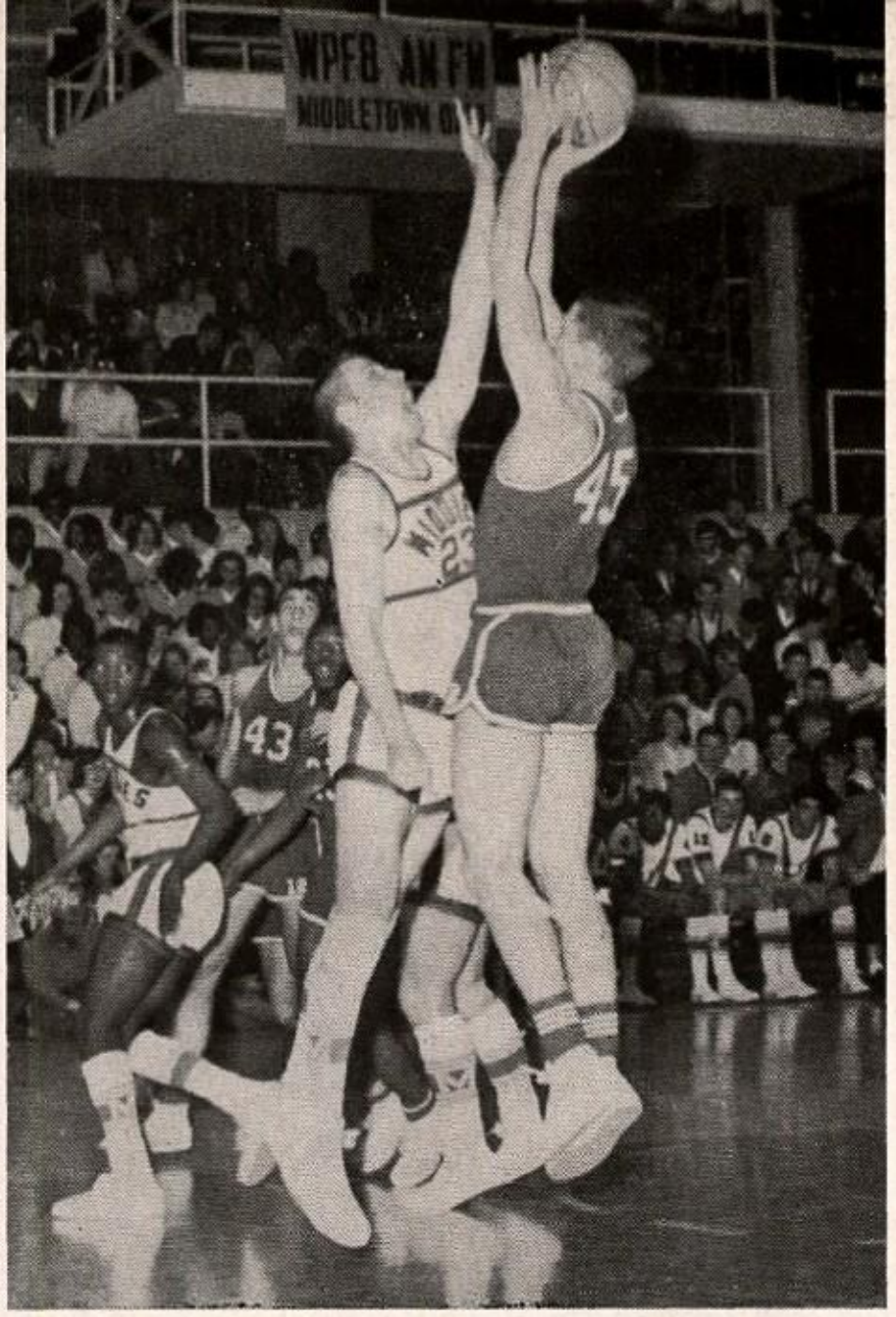
Ken Cohen blocks an opponent's shot.

The Middies made it four out of five for the season with an 86-64 victory over the Colerain Cardinals. The Middies were sparked to victory by Jim Ousley who had 27 points and Ken Cohen who scored 21 points and got 16 rebounds. Cohen replaced Dave Sixt who had fouled out early in the game. Charley Mack added 18 points before he, too, fouled out. The high point man for Colerain, Harper, scored 18 points. The Middies found the bucket 36 out of 81 times for a 44.4 percentage.

Middletown 62 Hamilton Taft 63

The Middies met defeat in their second game of the 1964-65 Greater Ohio League season with Hamilton Taft, 63-62. The Purple started very slowly, hitting only two points in the first five minutes. Coach Walker then sent in Ken Cohen, who quickly scored six points, to bring the Middies within one point of the Tigers. The rest of the first half saw things looking up for the Middies, the half ending with the Middies on top, 36-33. However, at the end of the third quarter, the Middies trailed 49-46.

The fourth quarter was touch and go all the way. The Middies, with a one point lead, had an opportunity to increase their lead to three; but Jim Ousley was not able to sink a foul shot. After the Middies were called for walking, the Tigers took the ball and called time out with 6 seconds left in the game. Taft put the ball in play and Ford made a fifteen foot jump shot with two seconds remaining to give Hamilton the game. High point man for the Middies was Dave Sixt with 17 points.



Gary Emrick leaps high to block an enemy's shot.

Middletown 66
Dayton Roosevelt 65

The Middies showed their best performance so far this season as they overpowered a tall, strong, Roosevelt team 66-65. The Middies led at all the stopping points except the third quarter. The game was actually won with about 3 seconds remaining on a pair of foul shots by Billy Jones and a technical foul shot by Jim Ousley. Jones, who was supposed to be the Middies' playmaker, turned in the top scoring honors with 15 points. Actually the scoring was very well balanced with 14 for Mack, 12 for Sixt, Ousley 11, and Emrick 8.

The Middies' foul shooting improved as they made 12 for 20 for a respectable 60%. The Walkermen were then 5-2 on the season, having lost two games by a total of three points.

Middletown 70
Springfield South 75

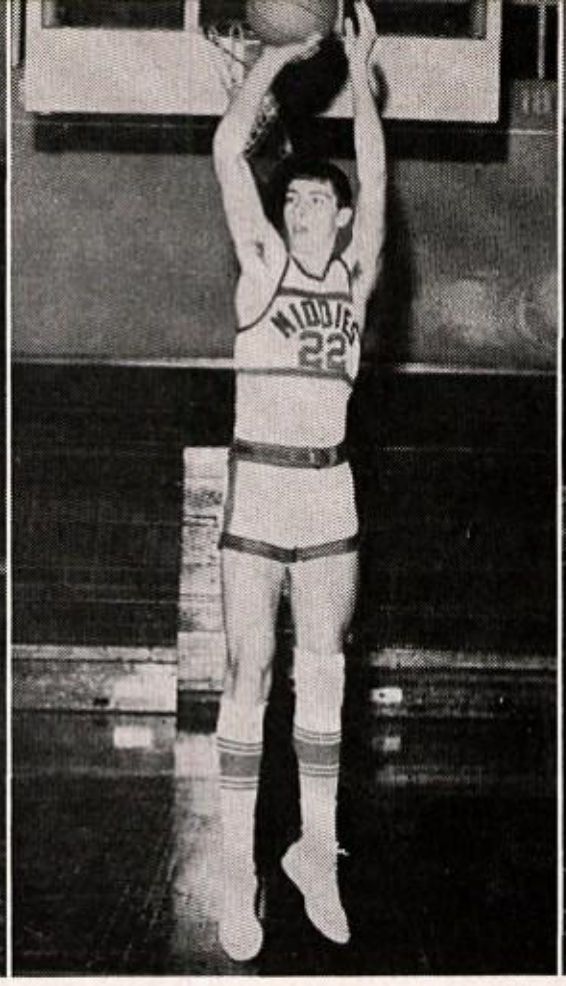
The Middies dropped their second of three GOL games to Springfield South, which pushed the Wildcats to loop leader.

Because of the Middies' poor defense, the Wildcats went from a 28-24 halftime deficit to a 37-35 lead midway through the third quarter. The Middies did a very good job of rebounding in the first half; but in the second half they fell off in that department, too. The Walkermen managed to overcome an eight-point deficit to tie the Wildcats, 64-64, with 3:31 left in the contest. With 37 seconds left the Middies were only two points down and had several chances to tie the game again but couldn't hit under their own basket.

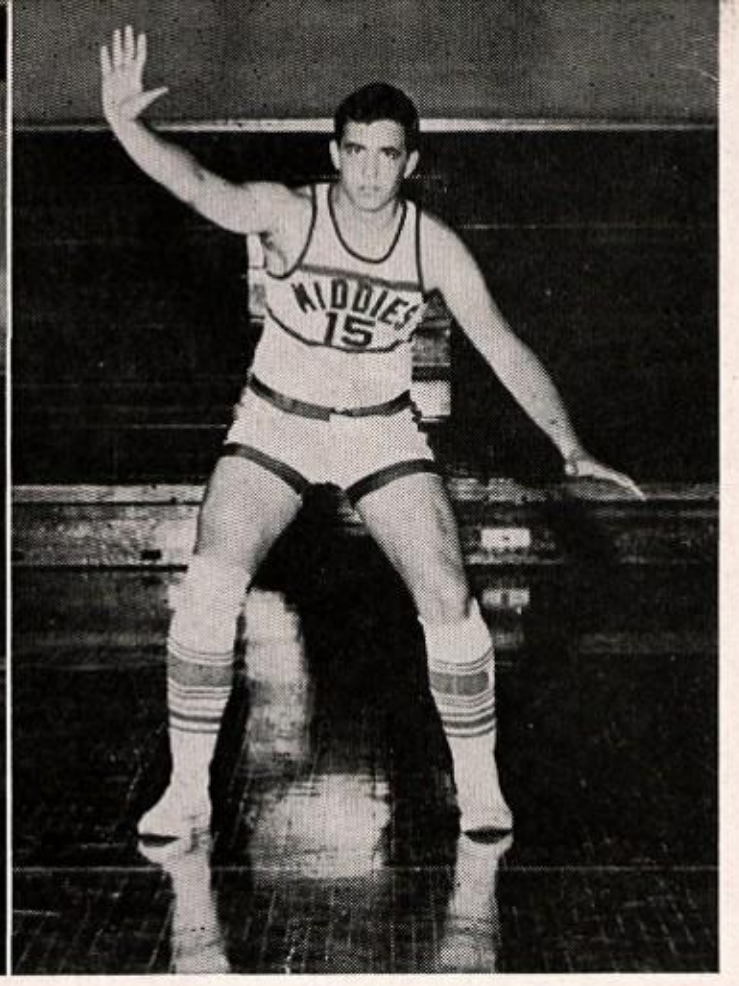
Springfield made 23 shots out of 34 in the second half to raise their overall shooting percentage to 50% for the game. The Middies managed 30 out of 85 for 36.1 per cent. Mack led the Middies with 17 points. Ousley had 16 and Sixt, 14.

Ken Bush tries to get a rebound.

Dave Sebastian



Ken Bush



Steve Wyatt

Middletown 71
Fairfield 42

The Middies began slowly but started to find the range as the first period ended. During the period the Middies hit the first basket and were never behind. It was a costly quarter in that Dave Sixt injured his ankle and was lost for the rest of the game. The first quarter ended with the Middies on top 14-5. In the second quarter Jim Ousley led the way with eight points. The Middies controlled the rebounds and got many second shots at the basket. The half ended with the Middies leading 33-13. In the third quarter the Middie defense let down, and Fairfield came alive, but the Middies started hitting, and the quarter ended 50-28. In the last quarter Coach Walker cleared the bench and everyone who dressed for the game saw action. The final score was Middletown 71, Fairfield 42.

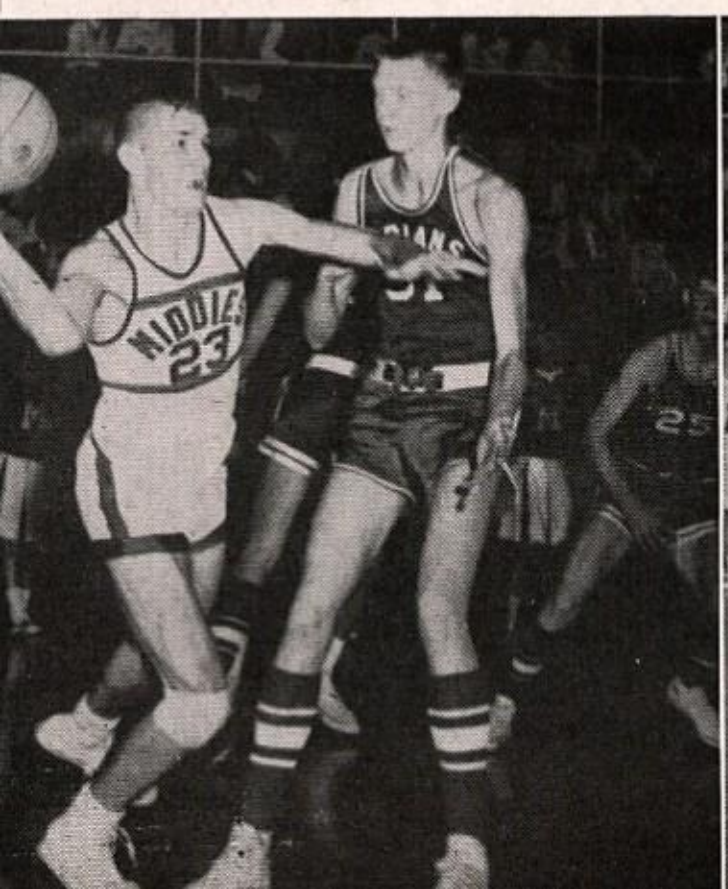
Middletown 62
Portsmouth 63

The Middies set a new record for losses in the Wade E. Miller Gym in going down to their 4th defeat of the season. Once again the Walkermen were narrowly edged as has been common this year. The Middies have lost four games by a total of nine points.

The Purple and White started out at a torrid pace and led 20-9 at the end of the first quarter. With four minutes left in the second quarter, they were ahead by a 15 point bulge. However, from that moment until the final gun, the Trojans dominated the game, out-scoring the Middies 48-32. The Middies' second half doldrums were centered around their three buckets in 18 attempts during the fourth quarter.

The Walkermen hit 27 out of 74 from the floor for a respectable 36.4 per cent. They were only able to sink 8 out of 16 from the foul line.

Gary Emrick passes the ball.



Steve Wyatt throws the ball to Mike Miller.

Charley Mack reaches for a loose ball.

John Calhoun fights for possession of the ball.

Middletown 70
Garfield 82

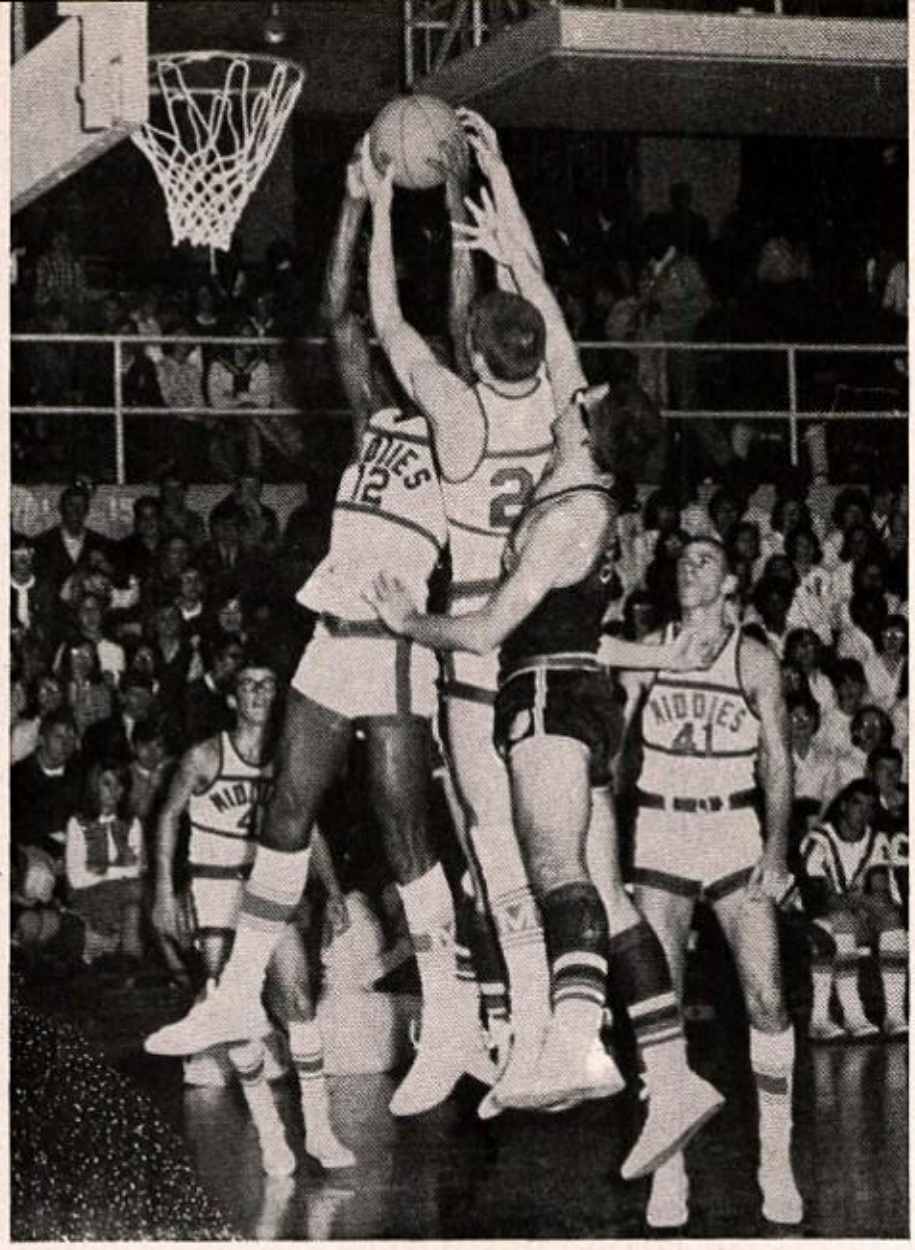
The Middies were not able to break their home-floor jinx as they lost to the Hamilton Garfield Griffins, 82 to 70. Although they hit only one less field goal than the Griffins, the Middies were once again outshot at the foul line. The Middies hit only four out of eleven for 36.3 percent from the charity line, while the Griffins hit fourteen of sixteen for 87.5 percent.

The Walkermen shot as a team 33 for 76 for 43.4 per cent as compared to Garfield's 34 for 86 for 39.5 per cent. The Middies were plagued by the two pressing guards of the Griffins, 19 errors, and bad passes. They were also outrebounded 32 to 17. The Middies' scoring attack was led by Charles Mack with 20 points, followed by John Calhoun, Billy Jones, and David Sixt, each with 10 points. Both Jim Ousley and Duane Barnette had 8 points, and Ken Bush had 4. This loss set the Middies' GOL record at 2 wins and 3 losses for the 1964-65 season.

Middletown 93 — Fairfield 59

The Middies came up with their highest point output of the year in winning their seventh game. The Purple and White took 100 shots at the basket for a new season high, and their 40 goals also represented a new peak. They made other season records with their 30 points in the third quarter and 59 points in the second half.

Sophomore Mike Miller, starting for the first time, was one of the key factors in the Middies' hustling and teamwork. He helped the club to move the ball rapidly downcourt. Guard Jim Ousley turned in a spectacular shooting exhibition by hitting his first six shots. He wound up with 12 goals and 2 points from the charity line for a total of 26 points. Center Gary Emrick aided the cause with 15 points. The Middies hit 40 per cent from the field againt Fairfield's 34.7 per cent. With this game the Middies evened their record in the Greater Ohio League.



Gary Emrick and Charles Mack both fight for the rebound.

Middletown 44
Cincinnati Elder 54

In losing to Cincinnati Elder 54-44, the Middletown Middies set a new low game total for the 1964-65 basketball season. A new season high of 25 errors was also recorded. The Walkermen trailed the whole game as the scrappy Elder Panthers stole the ball time after time. The Middies just couldn't get their offense working. By the end of the first quarter, they were down 12-8. The second quarter was the best the Middies were to see that night. Then they did manage to get within three points as the first half ended with Elder leading, 26-23. During the third stanza of play, the lead increased to eight points. However, with 4:30 to go in the game, the Panthers' lead was cut down to five, but Elder charged back and walloped the Middies 54-44.

The leading scorer for the Middies was Gary Emrick with 11. Sixt had 8, Cohen 7, and four others tied with 4 apiece. The loss dropped the Middies' record to 7-6.

Middletown 51
Springfield South 60

The Middletown Middies dropped their fourth Greater Ohio League contest to Springfield South, 60-51. This marked the Middies' seventh defeat of the season. A poor first half by the Middies paved the way for the South team and initiated a loss which would drop the record of the Purple and White hoopsters to 7-7 for the season. The Middies set new lows as they scored only 12 points in the first quarter and 5 points in the second quarter. In winning, South stepped out to a 28-17 first half lead and controlled the ball for the remaining two quarters. It was not before the second half that the Middie offense got into full gear. During that time they scored 34 of their total of 51 points. Emrick was the only player to show any punch as he scrapped his way to 18 points. Mack was close behind with 17. The Middies had 25 more shots than the winners but just weren't hitting and wound up with 21 out of 74 for 28.4 per cent. South, on the other hand, hit 22 out of 49 for 44.9 per cent in winning its fifth game.

Gary Emrick pulls down a rebound.

Middletown 69
Lima 75

The Middletown Middies suffered their eighth loss of the season, February 5. Lima's Spartans handed the Walkermen a 75-69 defeat as the Purple closed out its home contests. With two minutes gone in the second period, the Walkermen were out in front, 27-20. Three minutes later the Spartans were at the controls after a run of 14 straight points.

Charles Mack and Steve Wyatt hit to tie the game up at 51-51 in the third period, but the Spartans once again spurted back with six straight buckets to regain the advantage which they maintained for the rest of the game. Four Middie cagers scored in the double figures. High man was Steve Wyatt with 20 points. Close behind was Gary Emrick with 18, followed by Charley Mack with 11, and Jim Ousley with 10. A revamped line-up, improved lighting system, and ecstatic school spirit made no difference as the Middies added another loss.

Charley Mack drives around Dave Sixt.

John Calhoun jumps high to shoot as Mack and Ousley watch.

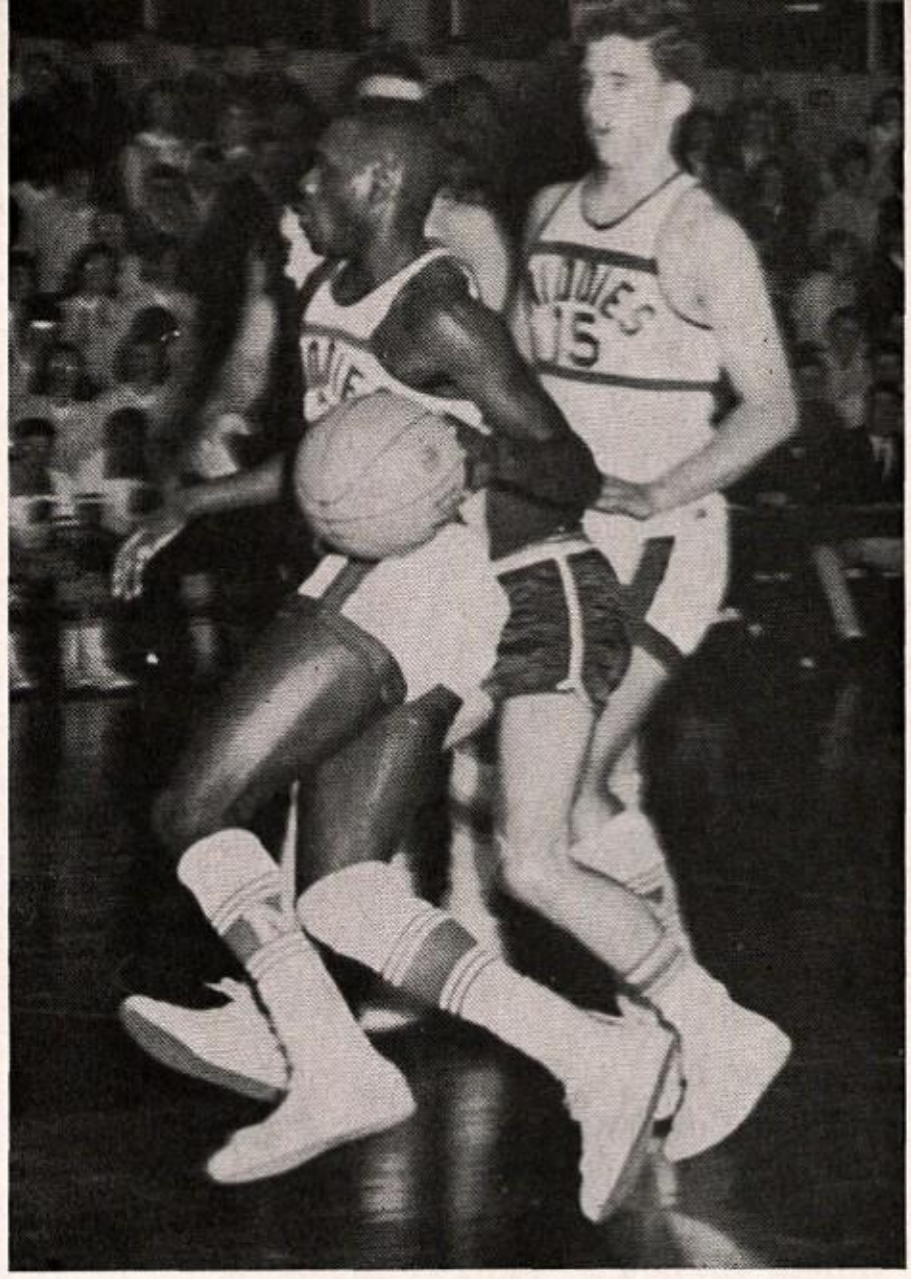
Middletown 59
Hamilton Taft 73

The first quarter started off very evenly with both teams holding leads. Then Taft scored six straight points and led 20-15 at the end of the first quarter, but started hitting from the outside to lead by eleven at halftime, 39-28. In the third quarter it looked as if the Middies were going to run Taft right out of their gym. Then they folded again and trailed by eight at 53-45 after three quarters of play. In the final quarter, the Middies scrapped to within four points several times, but could never get the baskets to catch Taft. At one time in the fourth quarter the Middies scored eleven straight points. At that point Taft put on a stall and the Middies had to foul to get the ball. The game ended with the Middies on the short end of a 73-59 game. Charles Mack took scoring honors with 21 points followed by Gary Emrick with 16 and Steve Wyatt with 15.

Middletown 79
Garfield 82

The Middies, out to avenge an earlier loss and also restore some of their confidence, nearly upset Garfield, which was making its bid for the G.O.L. title. The double overtime loss, 82-79, proved that the Middies could still fight back, and it gave them their needed confidence for the upcoming tournament.

The Walkermen looked a little slow in the first half, trailing 44-29. But in the third quarter they hustled their way back on some fine plays by juniors Steve Wyatt and Charley Mack. They never gave up and eventually took the lead, only to have the regulation game end in a 75-75 tie. In the first overtime period only two points were scored by each team. The second overtime was different as the Middies scored two while Garfield scored five. The Middies shot 71% at the foul line as they made 15 for 21. Mack and Wyatt were the leading scorers with 23 apiece.



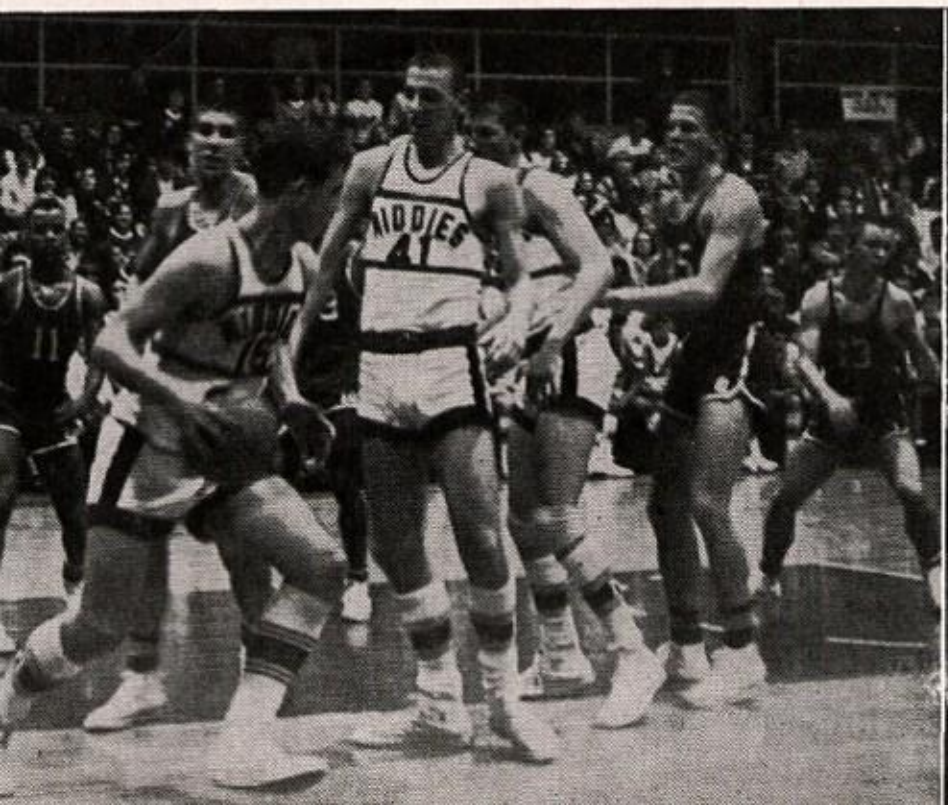
Billy Jones dribbles in front of Steve Wyatt.

Middletown 90 — Belmont 69

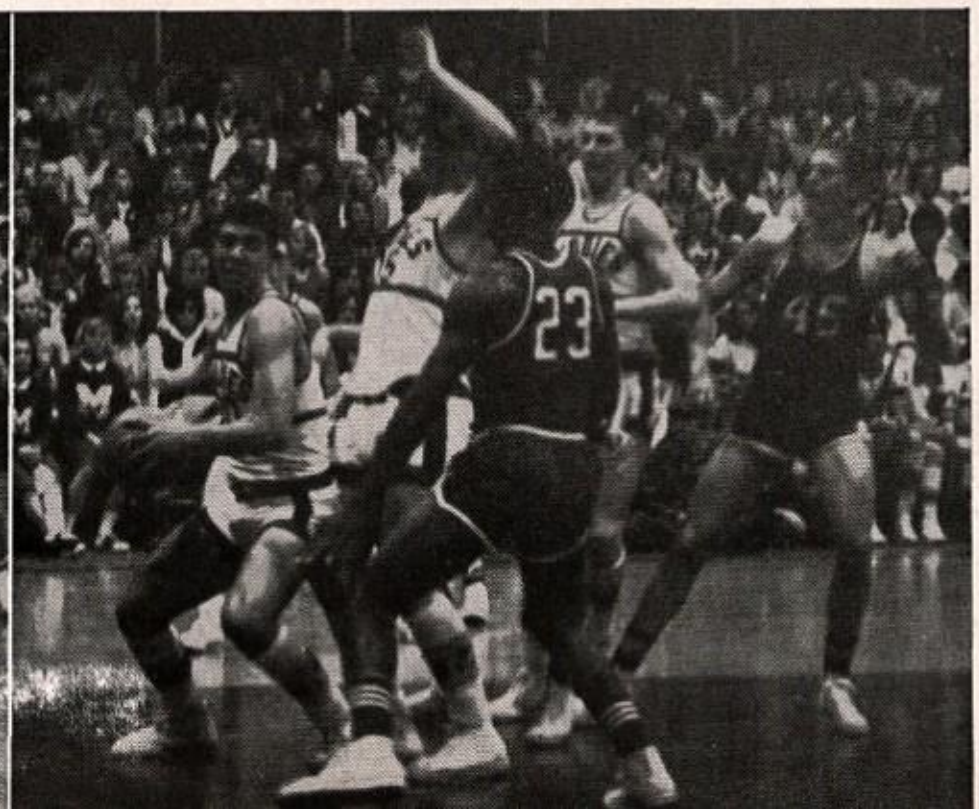
Middletown High turned in probably its best all around performance of the season in romping over Dayton Belmont, 90-69, at the University of Dayton Fieldhouse. The victory ended a four-game losing streak and brought a happy end to the Middies' most disastrous season under Coach Paul Walker.

The Middies jumped out to their best first quarter of the season when they dropped in 26 points. Belmont battled back to within six points late in the second quarter, closing the gap at 32-26, but Middletown closed out the half with an eight point margin. In the second half, Ken Cohen entered the game with only 5:30 left in the third quarter and proceeded to hit 10 out of 13 from the field and 2 out of 3 from the free throw line for a 22 point performance in twelve and one half minutes. The Middies turned in their best shooting performance of the year, hitting 38 field goals in 78 attempts for 52.1 per cent. They also dropped in 14 out of 16 from the charity line. Cohen was high scorer for the Middies with 22; Emrick was right behind with 21. Ousley and Wyatt had 18 and 17 respectively.

Steve Wyatt works the ball around Dave Sixt.

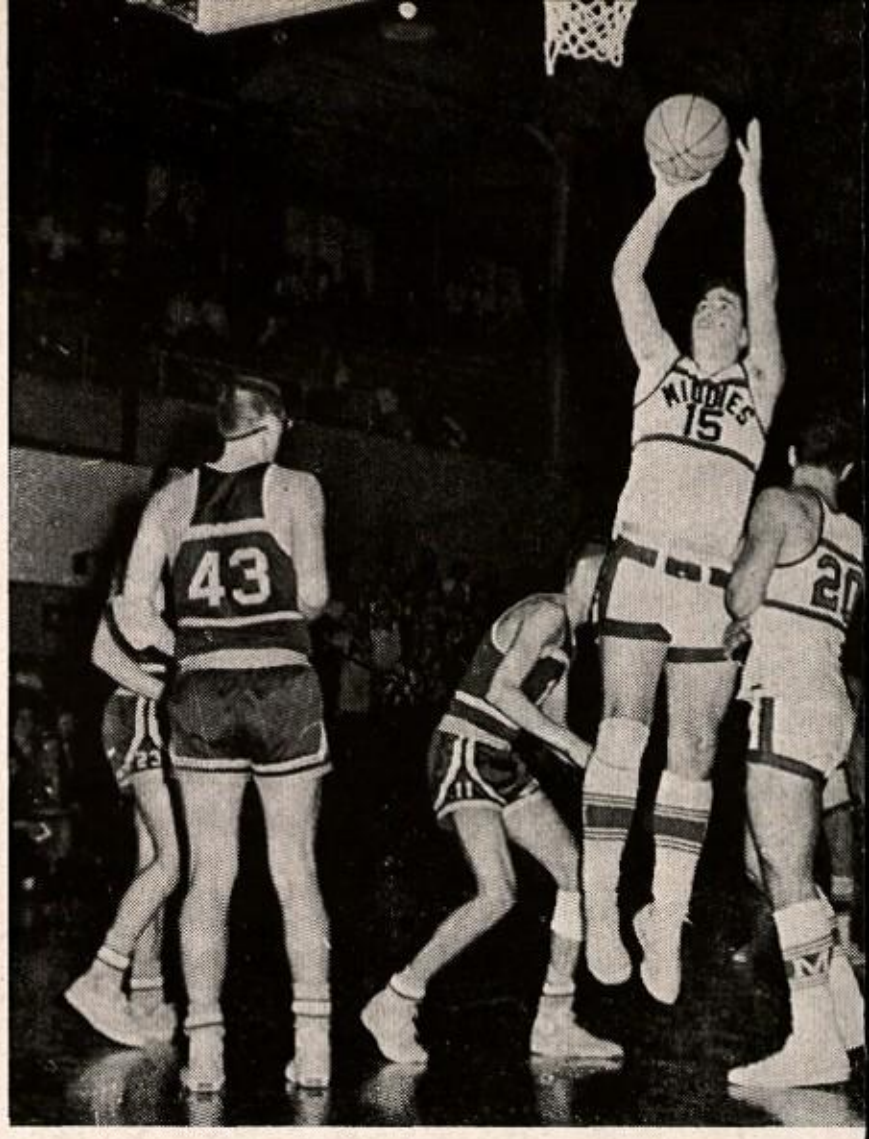


Ken Cohen displays some of his intense determination.



Middletown 60
Ross 53

The Middletown Middies won their first game of the class AA Middletown-Oxford Sectionals by narrowly beating the Ross Township Rams 60-53. This ninth win for the Middies saw the Rams nearly run away with the game, for after almost two full quarters of play, the Middies were down to the Rams, 21-9. But the Walkermen came right back with a 14 point outburst to capture the lead for the first time in the game. The score at the half saw the Middies on top 30-27. However, midway through the fourth period, the Rams were out in front again by one point, 48-47. After this, the Middies pulled to a 54-48 advantage, a lead which they kept for the rest of the game. The Middies shot 22 out of 64 for 34.4%. The Rams hit 21 of 66 for 31.8%. The high Middie scorer was Emrick with 20, followed by Wyatt with 13 and Mack with 11.



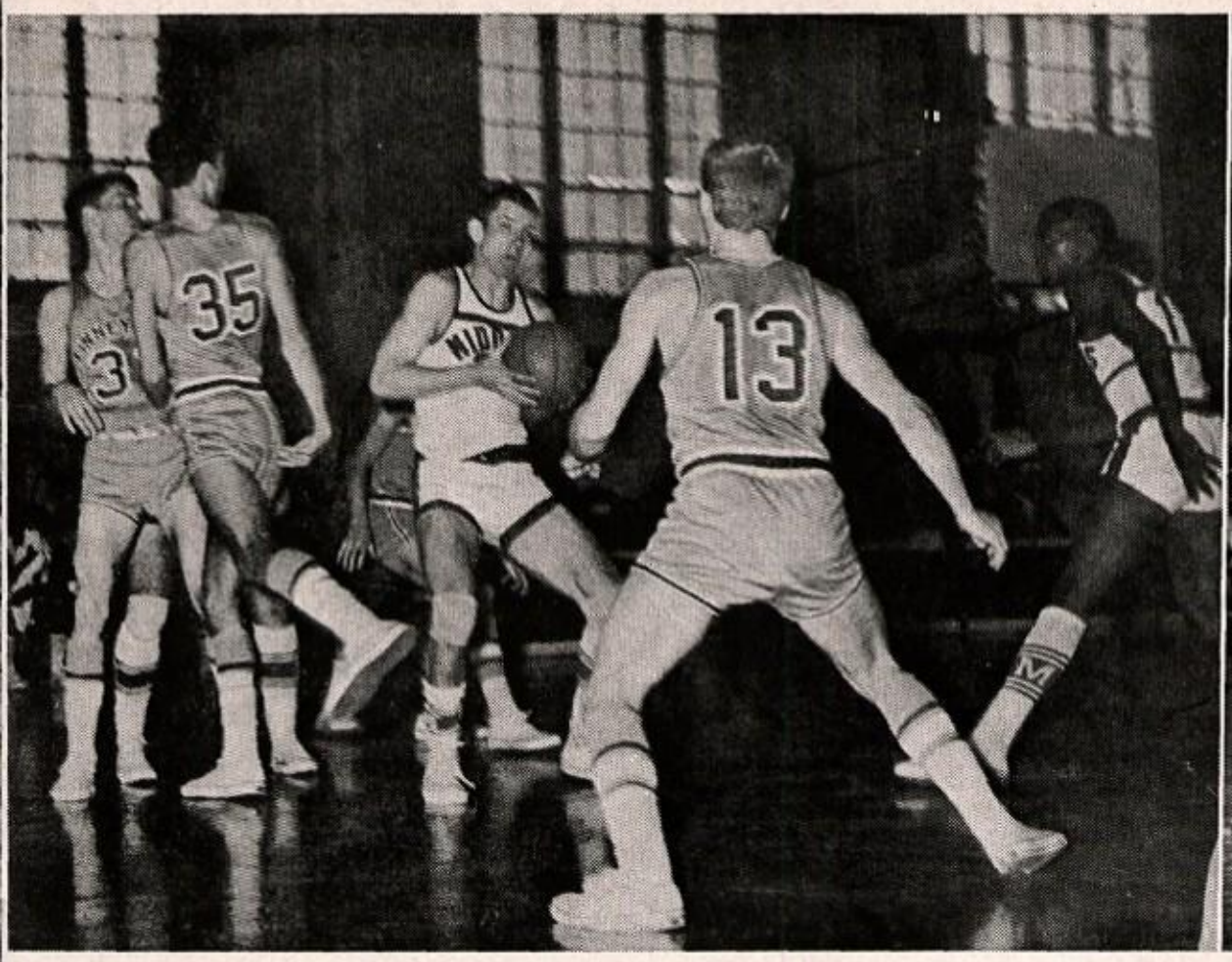
Steve Wyatt gets an easy shot amid much confusion.

Middletown 74 — Colerain 57

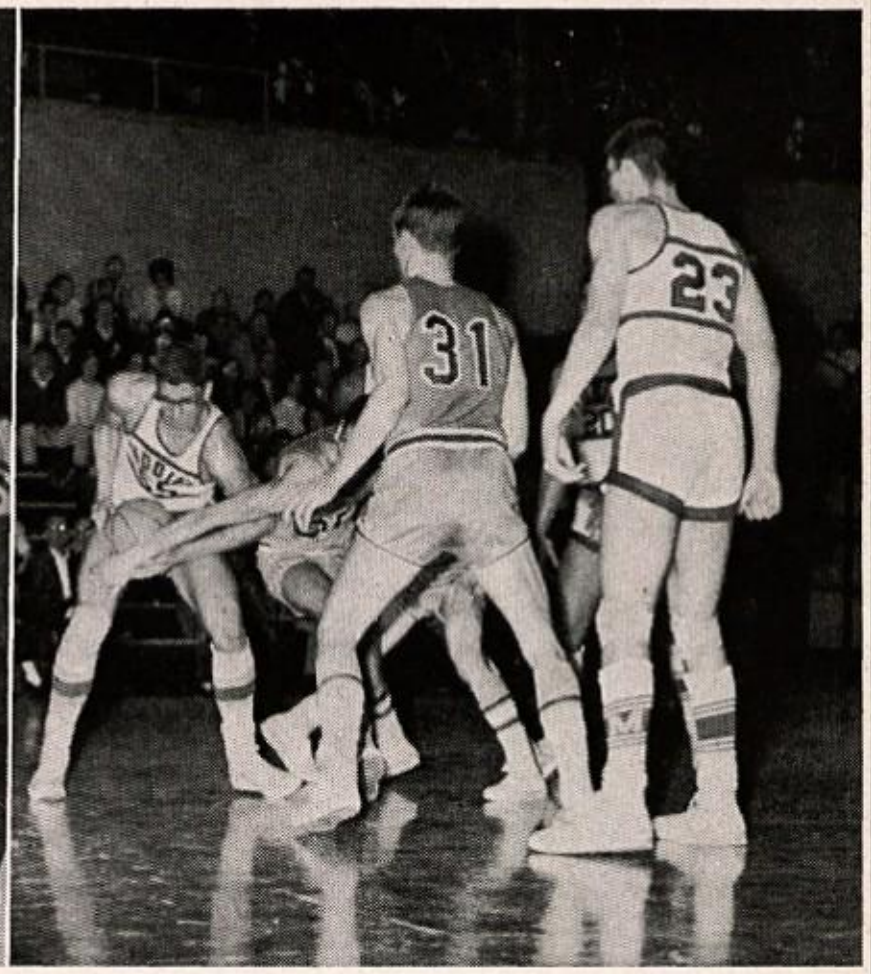
Mike Miller works the ball down-court.

The Middies started off their second tournament game like a team that was undefeated. They played a first quarter that was almost flawless. Jim Ousley was hitting from the outside and had eight points at the end of the first stanza of play. The Middies ended the quarter leading 20-14 over Colerain. In the second quarter, the Walkermen increased their lead by two with some fine shooting and rebounding. After Gary Emrick got into some foul trouble, senior Dave Sixt replaced him. The half ended with the Middies out front 34-26.

After the half, the Middies took up right where they left off. Wyatt and Emrick each scored six points apiece in the third quarter. The quarter ended with the Purple and White leading 54-42. The final quarter was again all Middletown's with Emrick getting eight points and Wyatt adding six. Emrick led all scorers with 21 points; Ousley was next with 19.



Gary Emrick finds himself surrounded by Finneytown players.



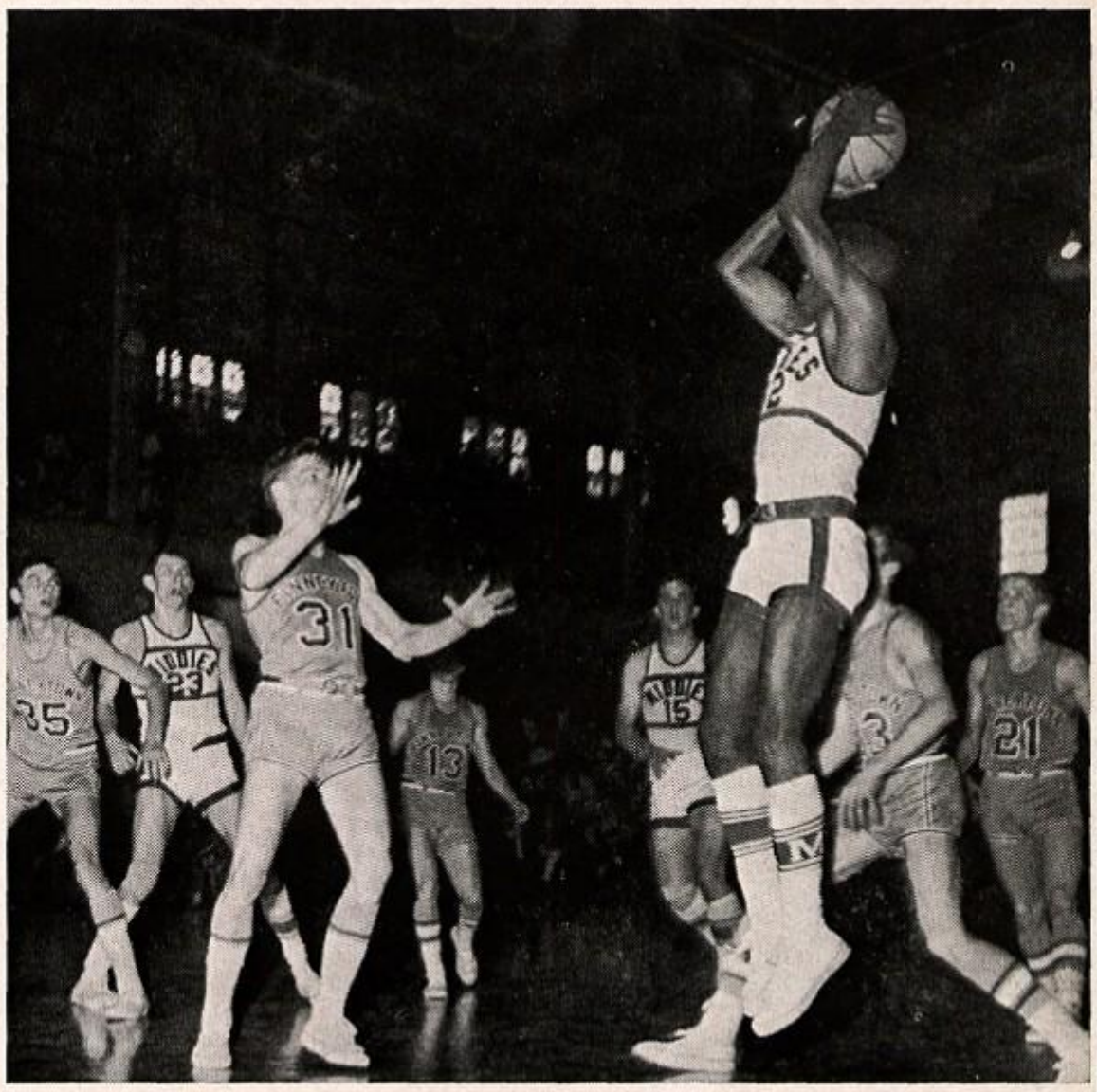
Mark Danner tries energetically to hold on to the ball.

Middletown 58 — Finneytown 59

The Middletown Middies dropped from the Oxford Class AA Sectional at the hands of Finneytown High, 59-58. The costly upset can be traced back to errors and bad passes. After only 3 minutes of play the Middies were out front 6-0, but the entire first half was rather evenly played. After one quarter the Middies were down by three, 13-16. In the second period, Ken Cohen came off the bench and put the Middies within two points of the Wildcats, 26-24, with two quick buckets. The Purple and White were not able to take the lead, however, and the half ended in a 30-30 tie.

By the end of the third quarter, though, the Walkermen managed to take a 50-45 lead. With 3:25 left in the game. Finneytown came from a 52-47 deficit to lead the Middies 53-52. The Middies were still down by one point, 57-56, with 21 seconds left. At this point Steve Wyatt put the Purple on top by sinking two free throws. However, with 13 seconds remaining, Finneytown's Gary McCool was fouled by Mack. McCool made both attempts from the line to win the game for the Wildcats by only one point. The Middies shot 40.9 per cent, while Finneytown made only 32.8 per cent. Mack and Emrick tied for high scoring honors for the Middies with 12 points apiece.

Finding himself in the open, Charley Mack tries a jump shot.



JUNIOR VARSITY: *1st Row* — Fred Armitage, Ted Alexander, Dave Senften, 30-Quit, 33-Quit, Bruce Sorrells. *2nd Row* — Steve McCluskey, Dale Shields, Gary Hounchell, Larry Deisler, Mike Miller, Coach Ed Payne, Manager Terry Mack, Manager Bob Lucas, Don Bremer, 4-Quit, Ron Moore, Manager Jack Kramer.

JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL

THE JUNIOR VARSITY ended the season with a record of 12 wins and 6 losses. This year's team had the highest offensive average to date, 56.9 points per game. On the other hand, they had the poorest defensive record, for 56.3 points per game were scored against them. Several boys played a big part in the success of this year's team. Ken Bush was the outstanding Junior Varsity player, while David Senften was selected the most improved player of this campaign. Other boys who will be making a bid for the varsity next year are Mark Danner, Bruce Sorrells, Ron Moore, Gary Hounchell, Don Bremer, and Ted Alexander.

J. V. CHEERLEADERS: *1st Row* — Jennie Estill, Marcia Farmer, Barbara Wendt, Cheri McQuinn, Debi Herr. *2nd Row* — Carol Hurst, Candy Walton, Diane Fasany, Debbie Miller.

Middletown	81	Fostoria	47
Middletown	73	Franklin	57
Middletown	67	Withrow	65
Middletown	64	Lima	59
Middletown	69	Colerain	50
Middletown	44	Hamilton Taft	51
Middletown	59	Dayton Roosevelt	55
Middletown	55	Springfield South	62
Middletown	68	Fairfield	60
Middletown	52	Portsmouth	43
Middletown	62	Hamilton Garfield	61
Middletown	76	Fairfield	59
Middletown	48	Elder	47
Middletown	54	Springfield South	57
Middletown	79	Lima	52
Middletown	53	Hamilton Taft	67
Middletown	56	Hamilton Garfield	57
Middletown	60	Dayton Belmont	65

At the All-Sports Banquet, guest speaker Joe Morrison fascinates all present with his words.

GREATER OHIO LEAGUE

THE ALL SPORTS BANQUET was held on March 30 in the cafeteria to honor the many outstanding athletes at Middletown High School and their coaches. Mr. Stan Lewis, Assistant Principal and Faculty Manager of Athletics, presided over the affair. Dr. Gaar Davis, president of the Middletown Council of Churches, gave the Invocation and Benediction, while Jerry Brown, president of the Boosters' Club, served as Toastmaster. Besides remarks by Superintendent Howard Cromwell and Principal Herman H. Lawrence, the banquet featured as its guest speaker, Mr. Joe Morrison, halfback with the New York Giants.

During the evening the coaches of the various sports were asked to introduce their teams as a tribute to the students and to themselves. Coach Jack Gordon presented the football team; Paul Walker, the basketball team; Ed Reece, cross country; Jim Dillon, swimming; Jack Reck, track; Ed Payne, baseball; Charles Rice, tennis; Bill Rupp, golf; Miss Vicky Victor, the cheerleaders; and Miss Janet Hamilton, the Pep Club. Charles Mack was named as the most valuable player for the basketball team for 1964-65, while John Calhoun was so named for the football team.

THE GREATER OHIO LEAGUE is composed of the Middies, Fairfield, Hamilton Taft, Hamilton Garfield, Lima, and Springfield South. Each team in the GOL, one of the roughest leagues in the entire state of Ohio, schedules two basketball games with every other team, one to be played at home and one away.

This year the Middies bowed down in all but three GOL games, winning both games with Fairfield and winning at Lima. After our first league win against Lima, the Purple and White lost the next two league contests to Taft and South. Then, between victories over Fairfield, we lost again to Garfield. The remaining games were sacrificed in succession to South, Lima, Taft, and Garfield. The 1964-65 GOL Champion was Hamilton Garfield. The Middies were honored, however, by having Charles Mack named to the first All-GOL Team. Gary Emrick was named to the third team.

BASKETBALL BAND: *1st Row* — Dave McClanahan, Chick Lane, John Batson, Dale Dudley, Corky Cordray, Larry Fosse, Rick Leichty, Jan Keuthan, Steve Tutt. *2nd Row* — Ted Riesz, Steve Cox, Bob Hall, Mike Lawson, Gus Pantel, Steve Nolan, Steve Schnedler, Steve Allison, Rodney Kidd. *3rd Row* — Henny Klaassen Van Oorschot, Mark Reed, Mike Heinzmann, Dave Little, John Dudley, Ed Griffis, David Szabo. *4th Row* — Paul Jeffery, Todd Coddington, Fred Brooks, David Tewel, John Dumford. *5th Row* — Ken Amburgey.

BASKETBALL BOOSTERS

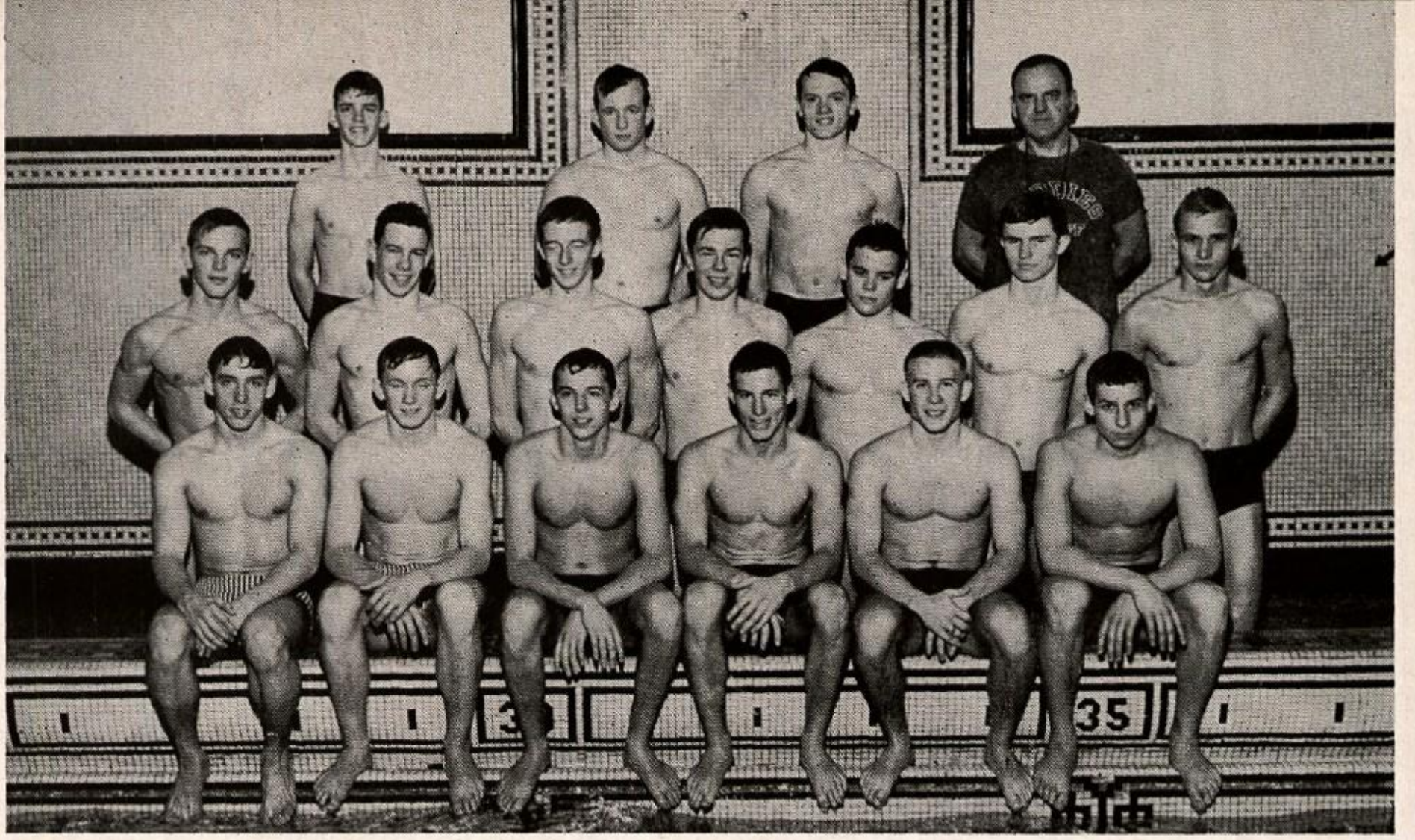
M CLUB: *1st Row* — Karen Kilburn, Kitty Francis, Pat Robinson, Lynn Unger, Kay Jones. *2nd Row* — Jan Barnett, Marcia Farmer, Rosenna Hughley, Anna Byrant, Diana Paine, Gloria Dupee, Sherry Osborne, Diane Fasany, Sharon Rawls. *3rd Row* — Wendy McGuire, Nancy Lorig, Cindy Snyder, Diana Aldridge, Marilyn Keister, Janice Gann, Sandy Mull, Sandy Kilburn, Carolee Christy. *4th Row* — Terry Graham, Patty South, Judy Wagoner, Jean Snethen, Pam McNabb, Joyce Snethen, Cecilia Snow, Brenda Derr, Gwen Smith. *5th Row* — Carol York, Sue Tucker, Diana Jamison, Lana Rupe, Sharon Johnson, Janet Noble, Sue Sharrett, Carol Swisher, Linda Howard. *6th Row* — Sytharae Roberts, Sandi Neff, Sue Wooton, Virginia Palmer, Monda Kibrige, Marisue Foland, Virginia Long, Brenda Rhea, Ellen Lewis. *7th Row* — Helen Stevens, Debi Herr, Penny Brewer, Beth Banzhaf, Janie Travis, Donna Speigle, Linda Ward, Barb Wendt, Delores Biltz. *8th Row* — Chris Bergdall, Helen Peebles, Georgia Alexander, Vicki Olinger, Dotti Briggs, Melinda Terry, Sharyn Lubberger, Judy Mullins, Regina Weaver. *Absent* — Henrietta Elms, Gail Peak, Lucy Edwards, Barb Napier, Maria Vradelis, Anita Williams.

VARSITY CHEERLEADERS: *Kneeling* — Pam Goetz, Chery Deisler and Laura Leigh. *Standing* — Andrea Mittenholzer, Evelyn Radabaugh, Debbie Starkey, Gail Evans.

VARSITY CHEERLEADERS

VARSITY CHEERLEADERS had three senior and four junior girls on the squad. Tryouts were held in the spring of 1964 for the 1964-65 football and basketball season. The faculty and Student Council officers based their judgments on pep, appearance, voice, co-ordination, rhythm, and personality. In addition to this, all girls had to maintain a B average. The girls practiced twice a week under the supervision of Miss Vicky Victor. Many of the practice sessions were devoted to making posters to boost Middie spirit. The varsity squad was composed of Pam Goetz, senior; Chery Deisler, senior; Laura Leigh, senior; Debbie Starkey, junior; Evelyn Radabaugh, junior; Gail Evans, junior; and Andrea Mittenholzer, junior. The junior varsity squad was composed of Debi Herr, Candy Walton, Debbie Miller, Barb Wendt, Carol Hurst, Diane Fasany, Cherie McQuinn, Marcia Farmer, and Jennie Estill.

Gail Evans and Pam Goetz enthusiastically lead the Middie football fans in a cheer.



Swimming Team: *1st Row* — Ron Jones, Ron Moore, Rick Hayes, Rick Waxweiler, Ken Thomas, Sam Nelson. *2nd Row* — Alan Coleman, John Whitehurst, John Reed, Tom Runyan, Kim Winget, Steve Hess, Roger Lambert. *3rd Row* — Jay Dillon, Bob Perry, Howard Johnson, Coach Jim Dillon.

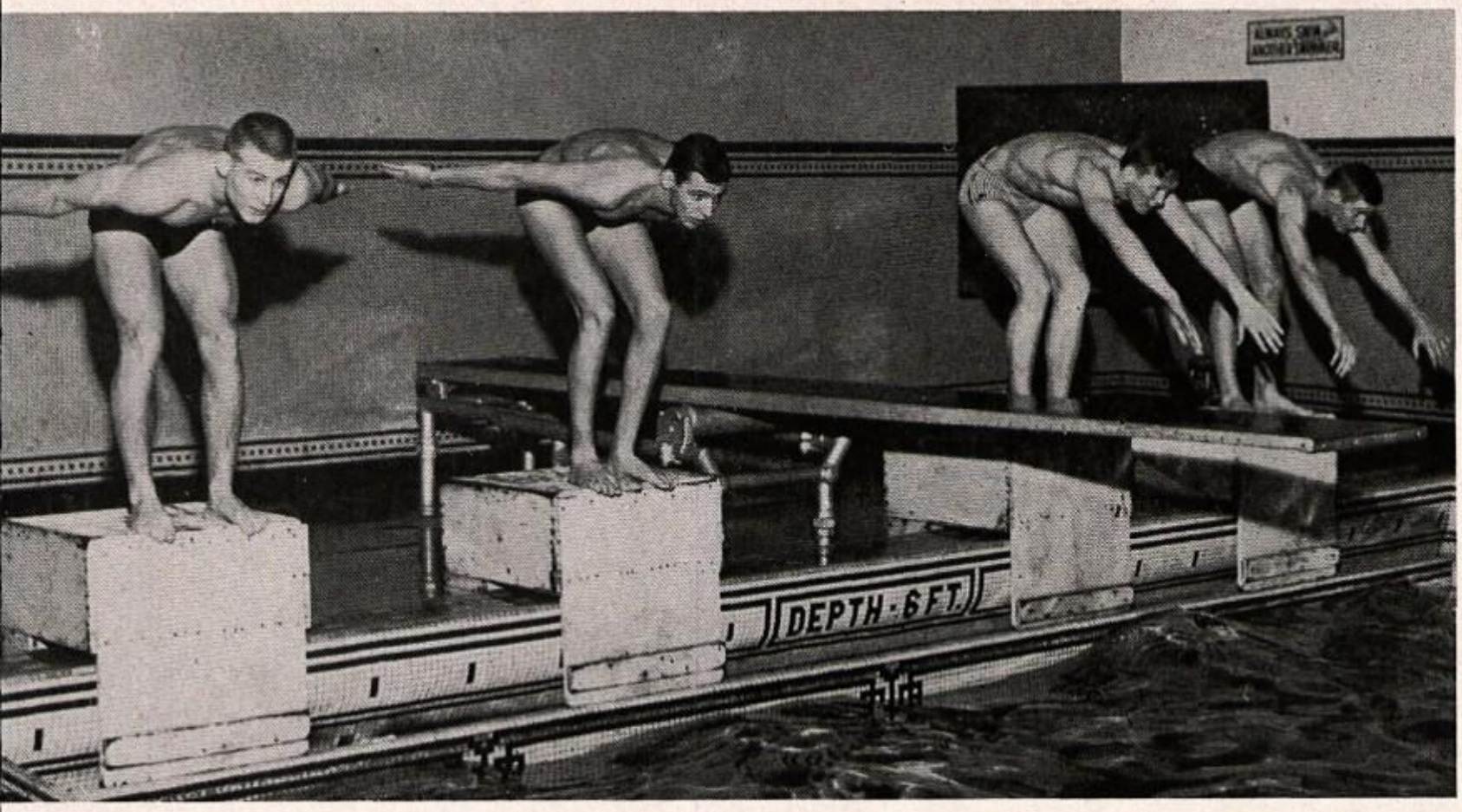
SWIMMING

Ron Moore and Rick Hayes talk over their *times* with Mr. Dillon.

THE MIDDIE SWIMMING TEAM again enjoyed another fine season just as last year. In this second winning-season in a row, nineteen school records were broken. This topped the fourteen records broken last year. In the district meet the mermen finished third. In the Ohio State High School Swimming Meet held on March 13 and 14 in Columbus, the Middie Swimming Team placed twenty-first. In the Princeton Invitational, held at Princeton High School in Cincinnati, the Middies placed third. In regular season meets they won nine and lost six.

Records set this year were by Ron Moore, two 200 yd. freestyle records, two 60 and 50 yd. freestyle records, two 100 yd. freestyle, two 100 yd. backstroke, and two 400 yd. freestyle; Ron Jones, two 100 yd. records in breaststroke and one in butterfly; Sam Nelson, two 160 yd. and 200 yd. individual medley records; John Reed, Ron Jones, Roger Lambert, and Kim Winget helped set records in the medley relay; two records each were set in the 160 and 200 yd. freestyle relay.

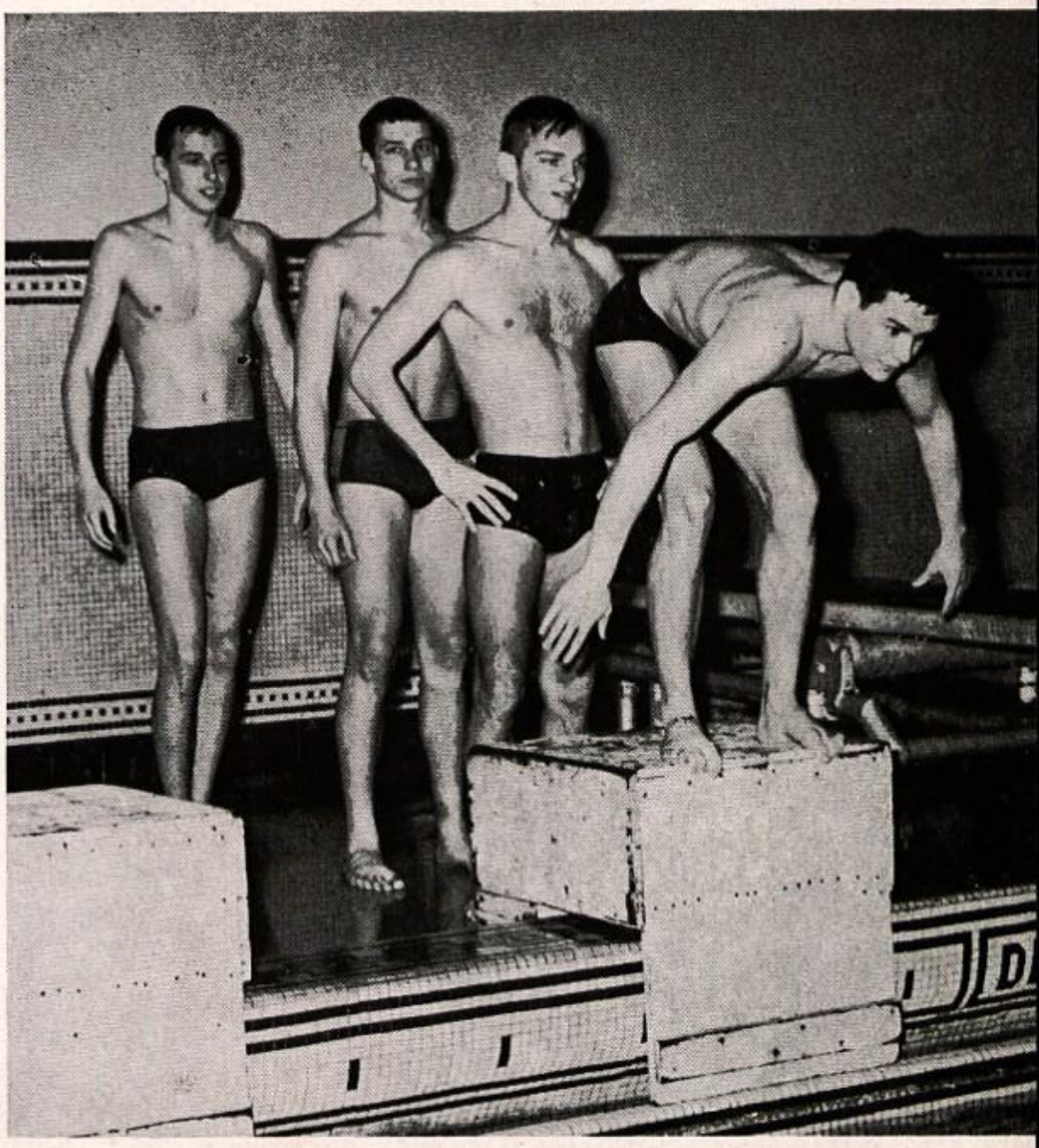
Senior lettermen this year were Ron Moore, Rick Hayes, and Mike Johnson. Those juniors receiving letters were Alan Coleman, Ron Jones, Roger Lambert, Sam Nelson, John Reed, Tom Runyan, and Kim Winget.



Ken Thomas, Rick Hayes, Ron Moore, and Rick Waxweiler.

SWIMMING

Kim Winget and Roger Lambert stand by as Ron Jones waits for John Reed.



Rick Hayes, Sam Nelson, and Alan Coleman stand ready as Kim Winget prepares to start a relay.

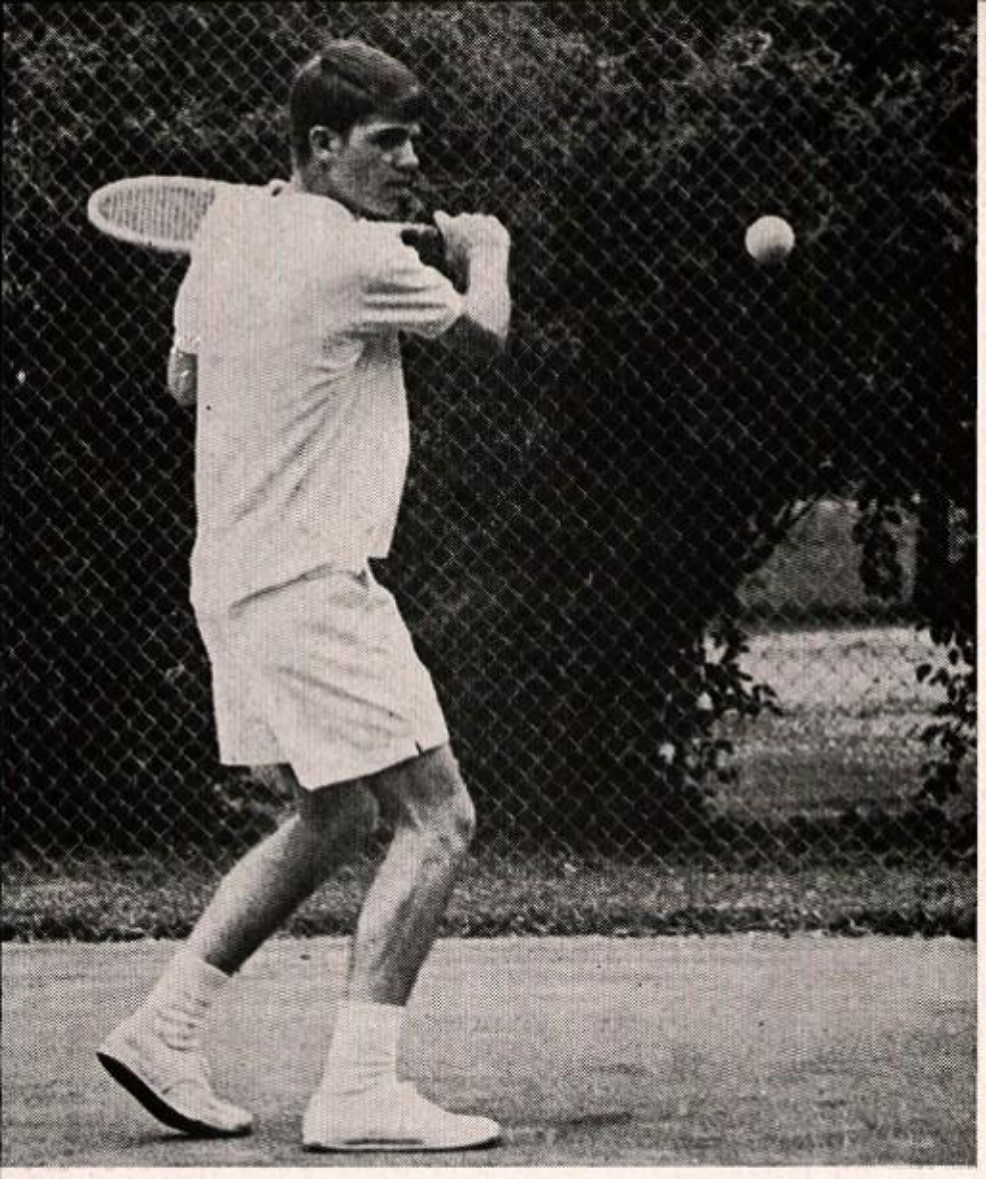
TENNIS TEAM: *Standing* — David Frost, Howard Johnson, Rick Nein, Bill Ledford, John Gillette, Coach Charles Rice. *Sitting* — Kent Chalfin, Jim Sexton, Sparky Snyder, Greg Dixon.

BOYS' TENNIS 1964

The 1964 Middletown High School boys' tennis team enjoyed a most successful season, winning nine matches and losing only two. After six straight victories, the Purple and White racket men suffered the first of these two losses to Oakwood. They were successful for three more matches until their last regularly scheduled match with Walnut Hills.

Two players who made a fine showing this year were Kent Chalfin and Sparky Snyder. Boys who won letters for the 1964 season were Sparky Snyder, Kent Chalfin, Bruce Lennie, Jim Sexton, Jan Keuthan, Rick Nein, John Gillette, Howard Johnson, and Bill Ledford.

Jim Sexton



Sparky Snyder

In the district tournament Sparky Snyder defeated Kent Chalfin in the finals 6-1, 4-6, 6-3. This was the first time that the winner and the runner-up in the district tournament have both been from the same school.

In the state tournament, Sparky Snyder was defeated in the quarter finals by the state champion, Buzzie Pierce, of Oakwood. Kent Chalfin was also defeated in the state; however, he made it to the semi-finals, losing to Randy Wertz of Toledo DeVilbiss.

DISTRICT AND STATE TOURNAMENT

1964 RECORD

Middletown	3	Cranbrook, Mich.	2
Middletown	3	Monroe	2
Middletown	4	Dayton Fairmont	1
Middletown	4	Madison	1
Maddletown	5	Talawanda	0
Middletown	3	Miamisburg	2
Middletown	2	Oakwood	3
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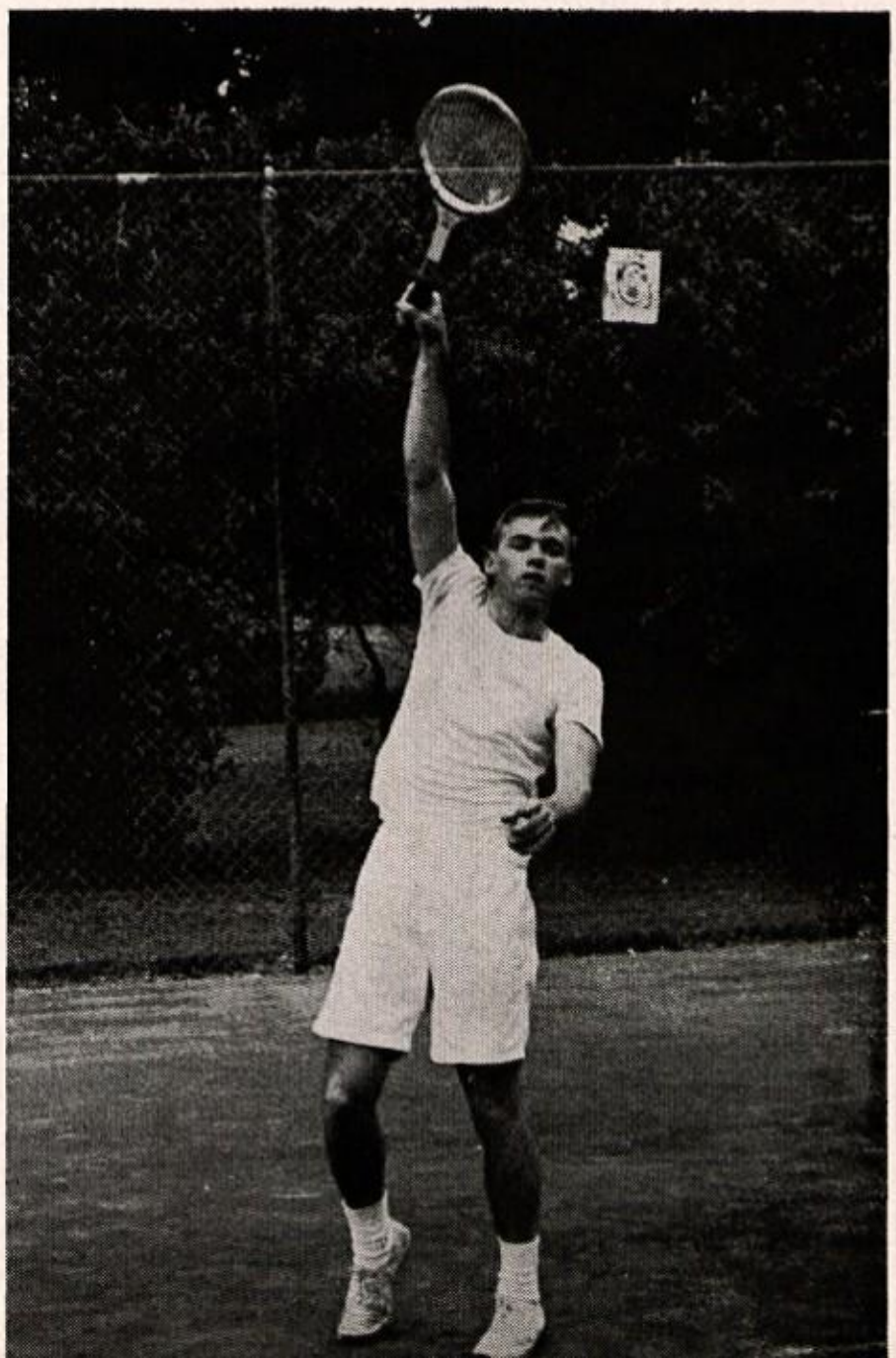

Kent Chalfin

TRACK TEAM: *Sitting* — Terry Cook, Gary Bellaw, Greg Gardner, Dennis Longworth, Duane Corn, Tom Kiniyalocts, Don Dennis, Dan Slusher, Gordon Lindsay, Dave Ortman, Don Imhoff, David Tewel. *Kneeling* — Ron Moore, Bobby Love, Mike Long, Bob Selby, Barry Bard, Gordon Drennen, Bruce Nerenburg, Jim Lindsay, John Dumford, Mack Ingram, Roger Hollenbaugh, Horace Wells, Tim McClure. *Standing* — Coach Ed Reece, Coach Jack Reck, L. C. Kindred, Charles Herndon, John Calhoun, James Gann, Rick Combs, John Mail, Dave Minor, Del Averdick, Joe Peck, Ostell Smith, Bobby Johnson, Robert Dowry, Anthony Clements, Louis Weaver, Ken Cohen, Irvin Gregory, Stadium Manager Henry Day.

TRACK RECORD — 1964

Middletown	69½	Lebanon	48½
Middletown	78	Hamilton Garfield	40
Middletown	101½	Franklin	16½
Middletown	68½	Monroe	42½
		Beavercreek	37
Middletown	69	Hamilton Garfield	49

Middletown	80	Miamisburg	38
Middletown	73	Madison	45
Middletown	65	Hamilton Taft	62½
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Rick Combs

Louis Weaver

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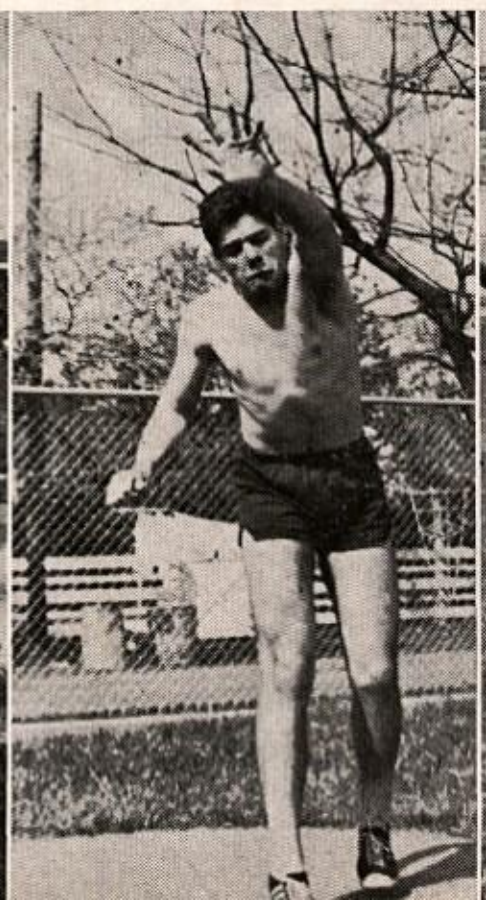


Tom Kiniyalocts

TRACK 1964

THE 1964 TRACK TEAM climaxed a very successful, undefeated season by winning the District, composed of 28 teams, by 15 points. This team was predominantly made up of sophomores and juniors, but the four senior members, Duane Corn, Tom Portsmouth, Terry Cook, and Louis Weaver will be missed in 1965.

On April 23-24 Middletown entered the eighth annual Harrison Invitational Relays at Harrison, Ohio, in which 16 teams were entered. Middletown won four trophies in the meet including the runner-up trophy. Hamilton Taft won the meet by one point over Middletown. Tom Portsmouth and Horace Wells broke the old Harrison Relay record in the broad jump with a combined leap of 41′ 6½″ while Tom Kinivalocts, John Mail, Rick Combs and Don Imhoff set a new record in the distance medley relay.

On May 8th and 9th Middletown entered the Miami Relays and broke two previous Middletown school records. Rick Combs broke the mile record, which went back to 1938, by running the distance in 4:32.5. He lowered his own record in the district with a 4:32.0 time for the mile run. The mile relay team of John Mail, James Lindsay, Horace Wells, and Bobby Joe Love broke the old record by clipping off the distance in 3:30.5.

This year's successful season was further enhanced by winning the district meet at Hamilton Taft on May 13-15 and qualifying seven boys to the state meet May 21 and 22 at Columbus. Rick Combs qualified in the mile and 880-yard run: Tom Portsmouth and John Calhoun qualified in the high jump: Bobby Joe Love qualified in the high and low hurdles and the mile-relay team along with Mail, Lindsay, and Wells.

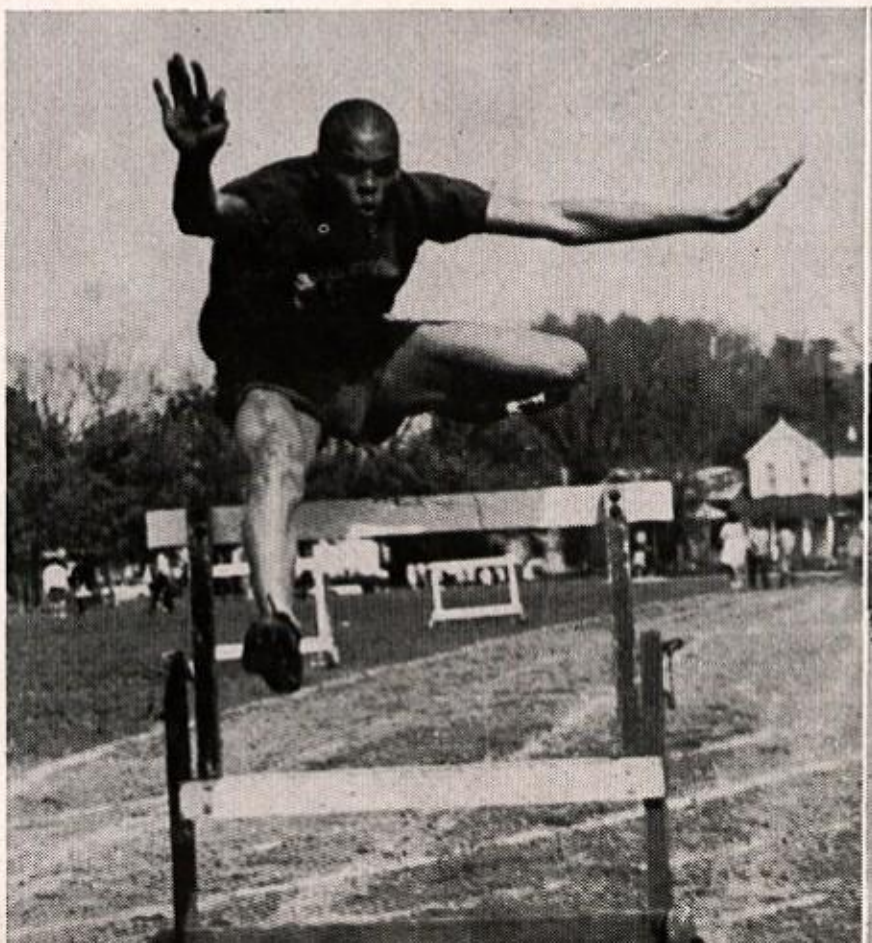
Ed Reece
Jack Reck

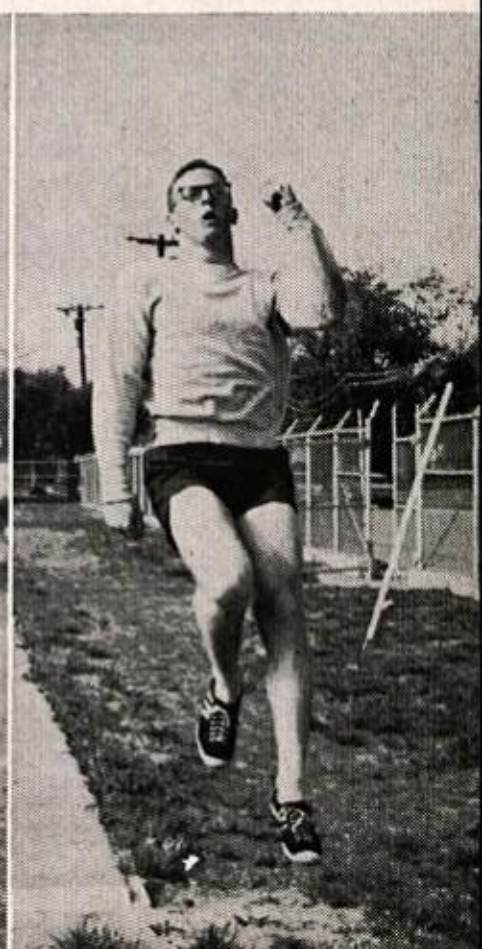
Horace Wells, Terry Cook

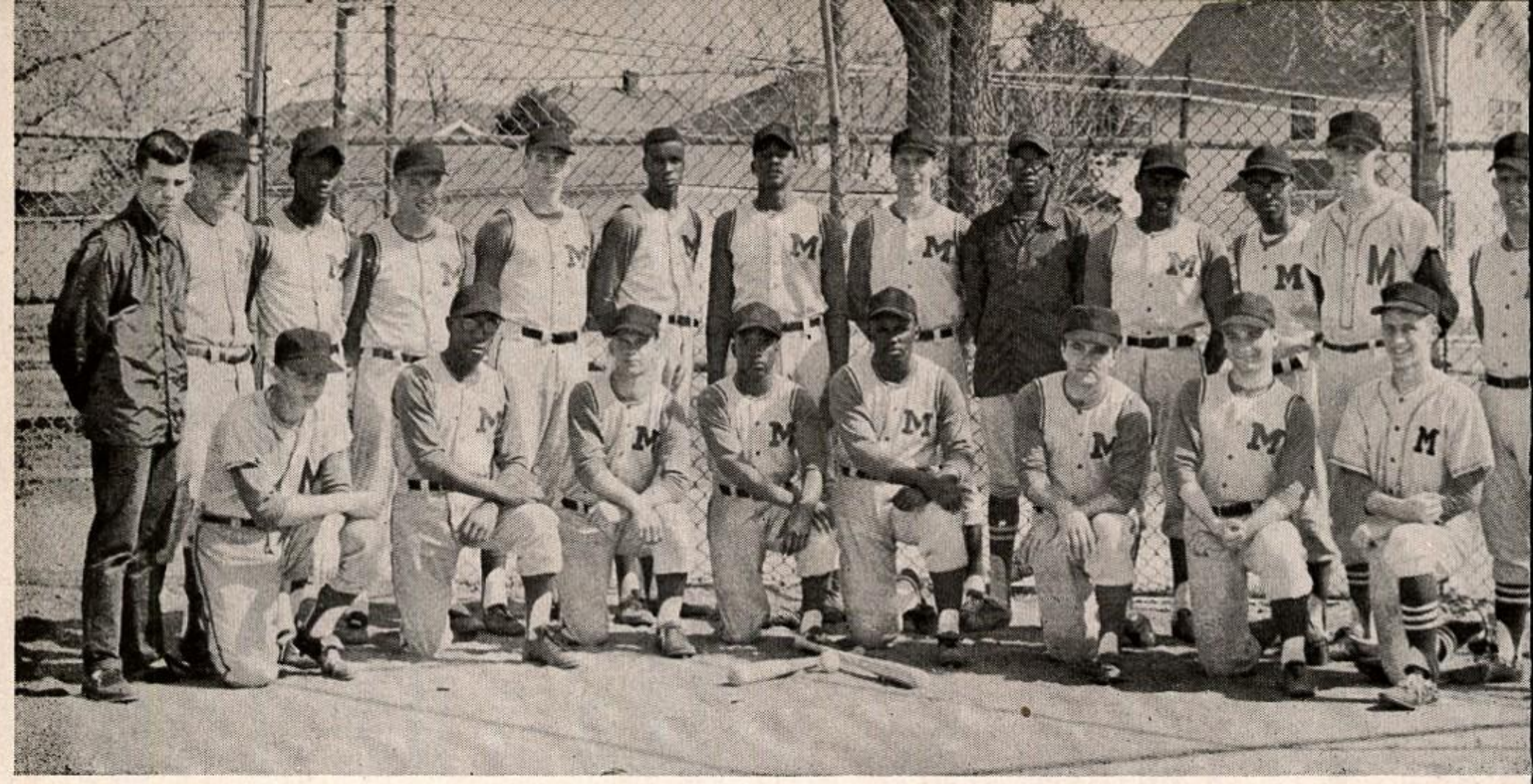
John Calhoun

Bobby Joe Love
Tom Portsmouth

Dave Ortman







BASEBALL: *Kneeling* — John Smith, Emerson Langster, Ron Long, Jim Thompson, Mike Young, John Bradley, Jack Wagner, Jim Barnett. *Standing* — Jerry Lykins, Larry Lewis, Gary Edwards, Ken Amburgey, Ken Howard, Corwin Henderson, Ed Hopkins, Bill Barnes, Bob Williams, Anthony Riley, Bruce Domineck, Bob Warnock, Coach Ed Payne.

BASEBALL 1964

1964 was promising to be a banner year for the Middie Baseballers. We had won thirteen games and lost only two during our regular season. We had copped our first two tournament games and were scheduled to play in the semi-finals of the tournament, when we were tagged with bad news. Due to an oversight by everyone concerned, we had been playing a boy who was ineligible because of his age.

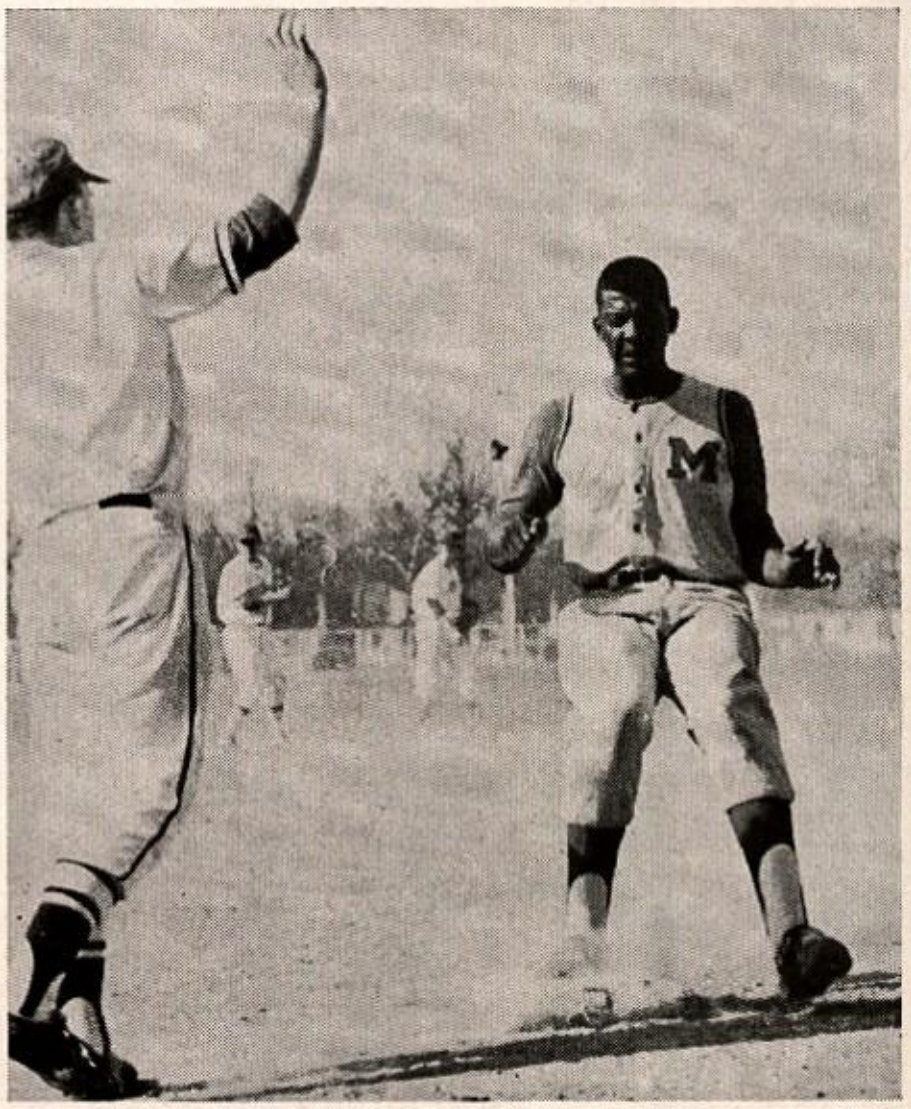
We were immediately dropped from the tournament and required to forfeit all games we won, in which the ineligible boy played. Our 1964 Baseball season now stands 0-17.

But now let us look to the brighter side of the picture. Ed "Hoppy" Hopkins was chosen as one of the participants of the East-West Ohio High School All-Star Baseball game held in Columbus, Ohio, in early June. According to our records, "Hoppy" is the first Middletown player to be so honored. I might also add, he made a very fine showing and we are very proud of him.

We shall miss his services as well as the following senior letter winners; Bill Barnes, John Bradley, Gary Edwards, Tom Portsmouth, and Emerson Langster.

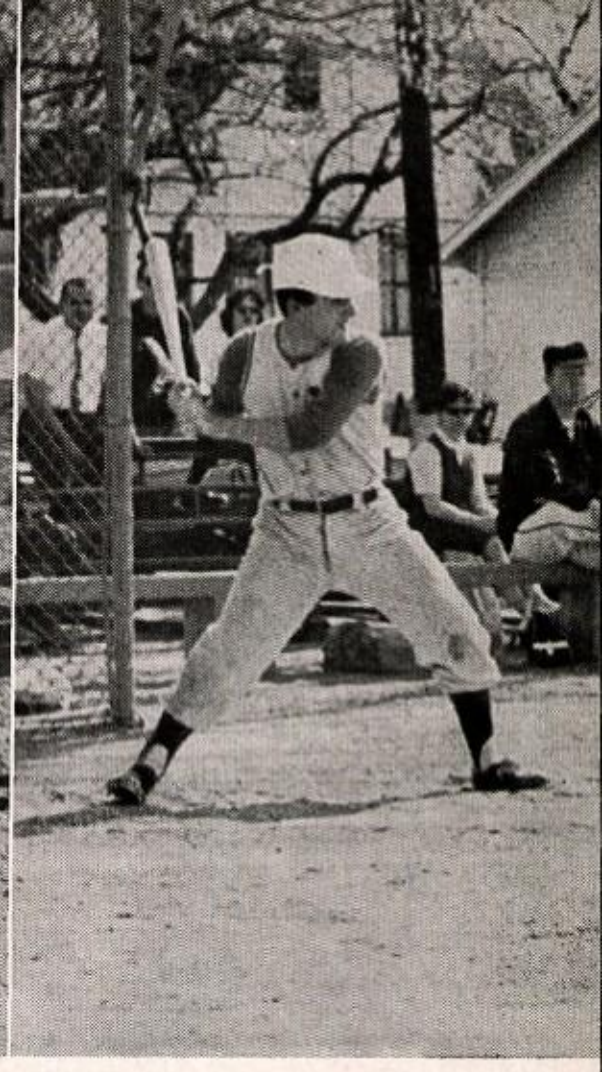
We have returning for the 1965 season some very promising underclassmen. Some of the names to look for will be Lamar Lipscomb, Jimmy Thompson, Dave Cook, Larry Lewis, Bruce Domineck, Mike Gomia, Jim Ousley, Anthony Riley, and Mike Combs.

Coach E. E. Payne



Ed Hopkins makes it to base.

The team awaits their turn at bat.



John Bradley braces himself for the pitch.

1964 BASEBALL RECORD

Middies	8	Hamilton Garfield	2
Middies	0	Monroe	1
Middies	7	Franklin	1
Middies	11	Hamilton Taft	6
Middies	8	Lakota	5
Middies	8	Fenwick	1
Middies	2	Monroe	5

Middies	1	Hamilton Taft	2
Middies	0	Fairmont West	3
Middies	7	Eaton	2

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Middies	5	Springboro	2
Middies	5	Franklin	2

Bob Warnock

Jimmy Thompson watches as Emerson Langster tags out an enemy.

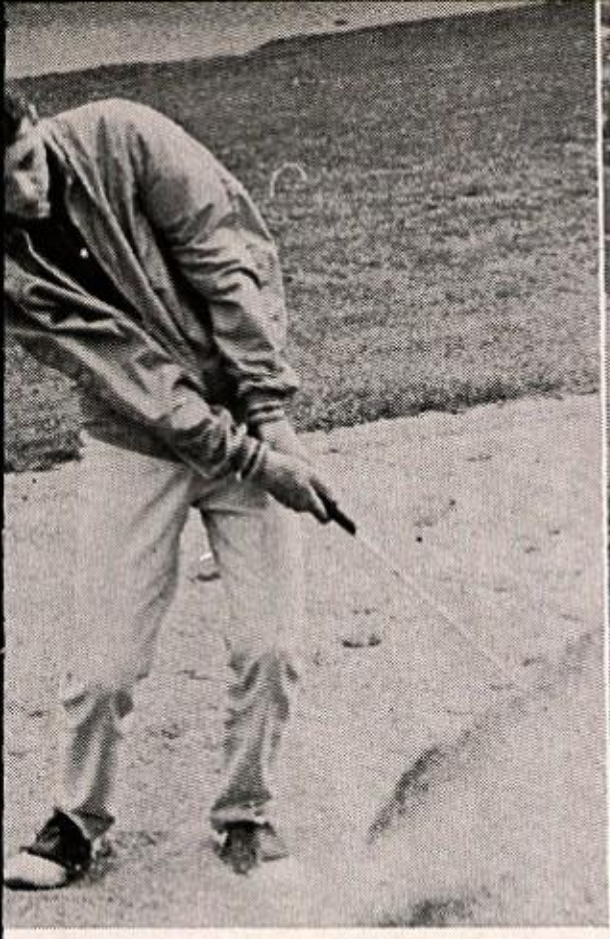
THE JUNIOR VARSITY BASEBALL TEAM had another successful season with a record of 6 wins and 1 tie. The tie resulted from a game with Hamilton Taft being called at the end of the 10th inning because of darkness. The pitching staff was led by Jim Ousley who compiled a 4-0 record and later went on to the varsity where he won a tournament game for Middletown. He was followed by Ted Alexander with a 2-0 record. In this undefeated season the Middies scored 36 runs while holding their opponents to 14 runs. The power for the Middies offense was supplied by Mike Gomia, Lamar Lipscomb, David Cook and Mike Combs.

RECORD

Middletown	1	Hamilton Garfield	0
Middletown	11	Hamilton Taft	2
Middletown	8	Lakota	3
Middletown	1	Fenwick	0
Middletown	2	Monroe	1
Middletown	10	Madison	5
Middletown	3	Hamilton Taft	3

JUNIOR VARSITY BASEBALL

J.V. BASEBALL: *1st Row* — Larry Pergram, Bill Tipton, Mike Gomia, Lamar Lipscomb, Jack Kramer, Dana Watts, Russ Maurice, Mike Combs, Ted Frisch, Jim Hendricks. *2nd Row* — Manager Marvin Tucker, Jeff Nickell, Phil Graham, Dave Cook, Jim Ousley, Ted Alexander, Chick Lane, Duane Barnette, Coach Jim Shafor



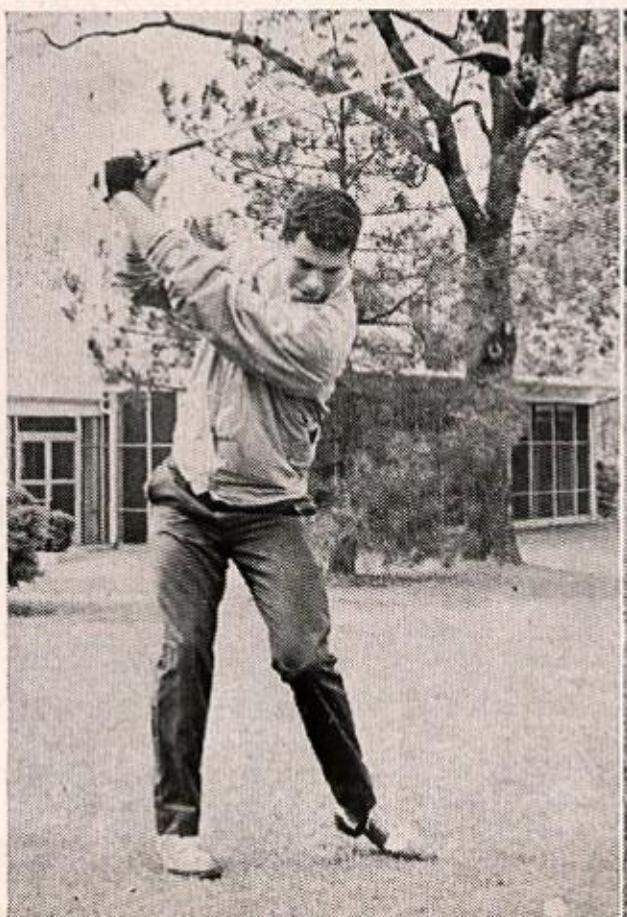
Gary Weikel

Gary Weikel, Rick Fraunfelter, Bill Johnson, Ed Weinstein

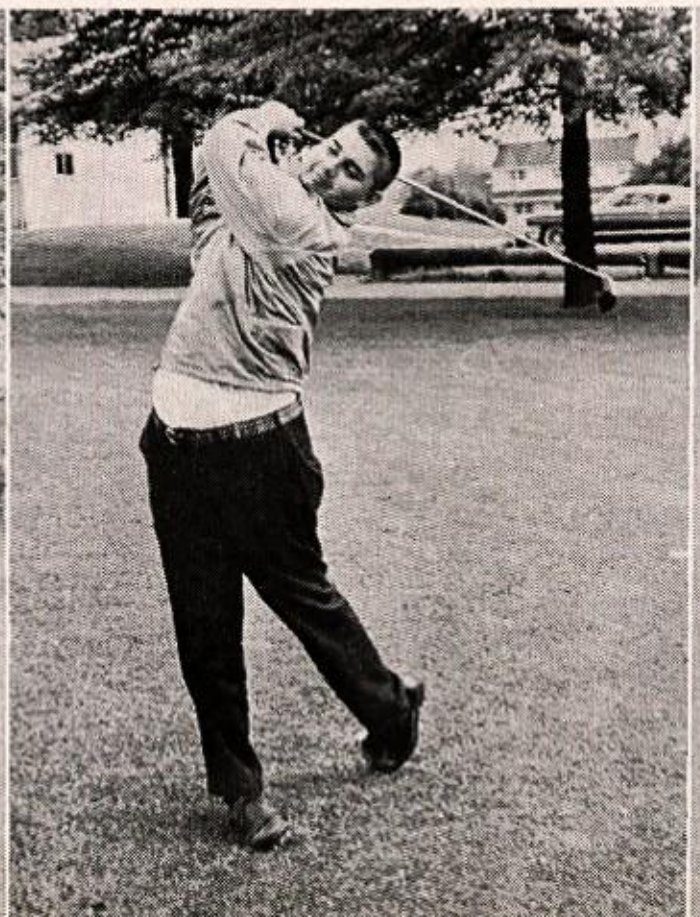
1964 GOLF

The 1964 Middletown High School golf team had a very successful season. Out of the thirteen regularly scheduled matches, the Purple and White linksmen were victorious in ten. The team, which was coached by Paul Walker, was comprised of six juniors: Ed Weinstein, Rick Fraunfelter, Gary Weikel, Mike Lamb, Jim Herr, and Rick Waxweiler; and two seniors, Jon Moon and Bill Johnson. On May 14 the Middie golfers placed fourth in the district play. There were, unfortunately, no junior varsity matches scheduled this year. Coach Walker said that since Johnson and Moon were the only seniors on the squad, the golf team should be in top form during 1965.

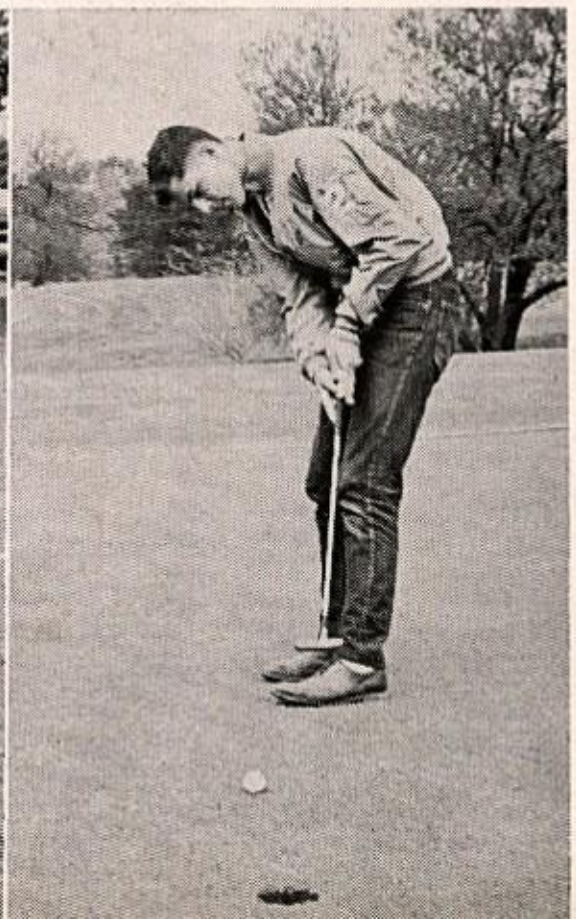
Ed Weinstein

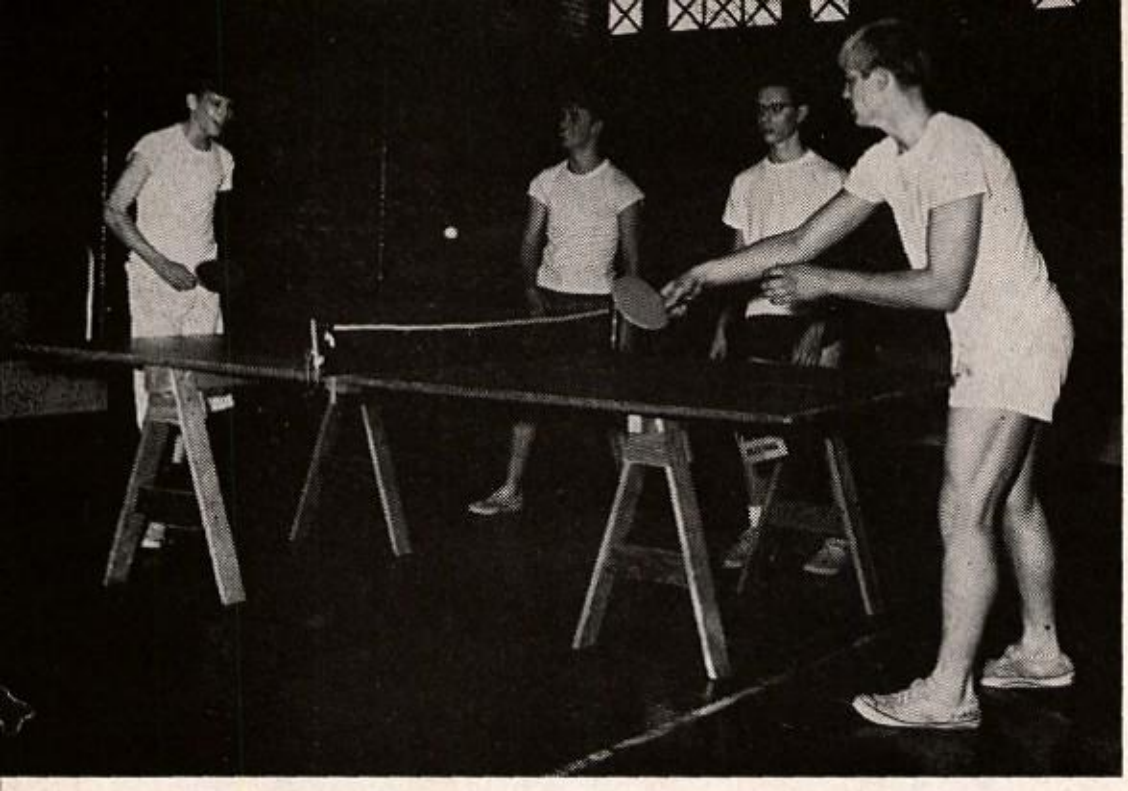


Bill Johnson



Rick Fraunfelter

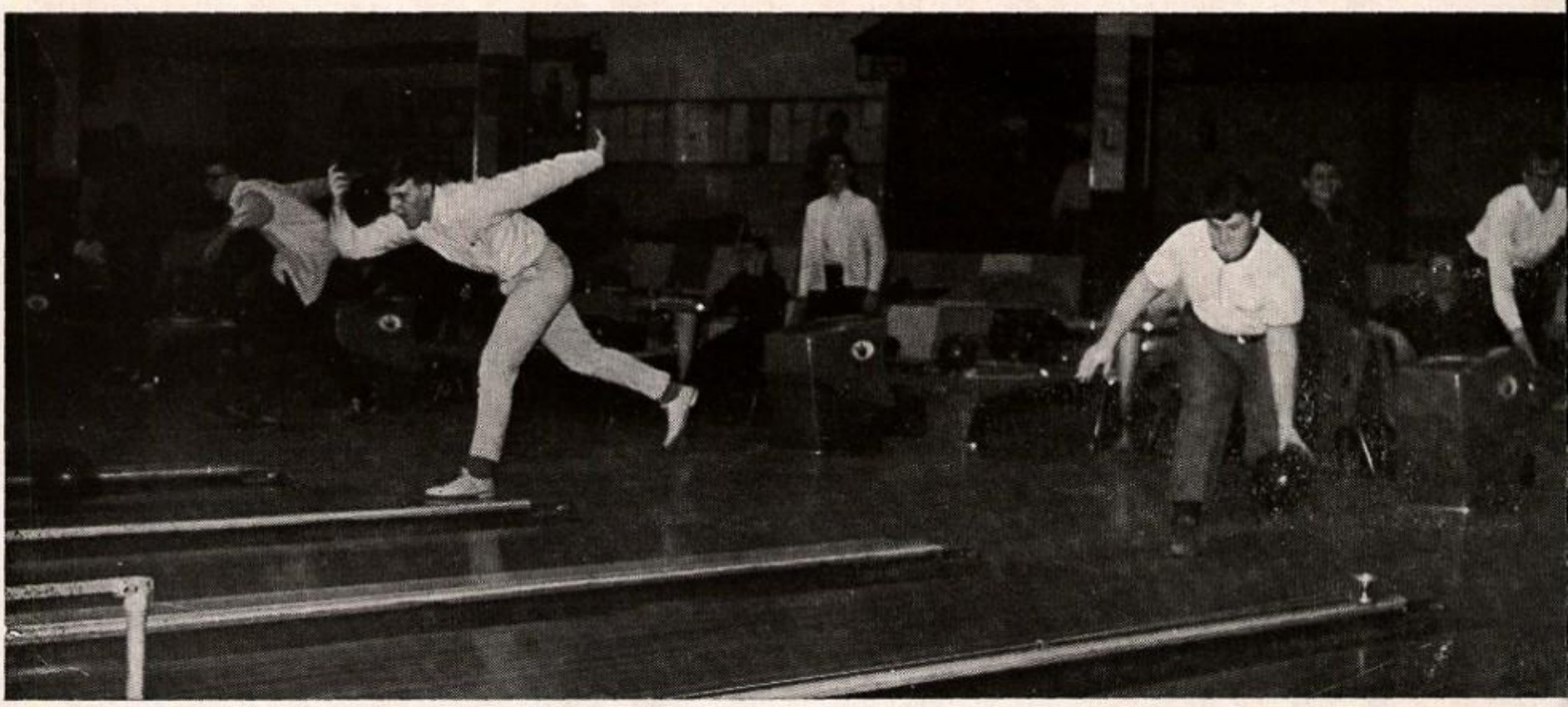




As Dale Brown and Don Imhoff look on, Vernon Highley returns a shot to Jim Fryman.

TABLE TENNIS

TABLE TENNIS is a regularly scheduled activity of all gym classes each year. In each individual class a tournament is held to determine the champion of that particular class. When the winners in every class are finally determined, an after-school playoff is used to decide the champion for the year. This year, play had not yet begun in the gym classes by the time the *Optimist* went to press.



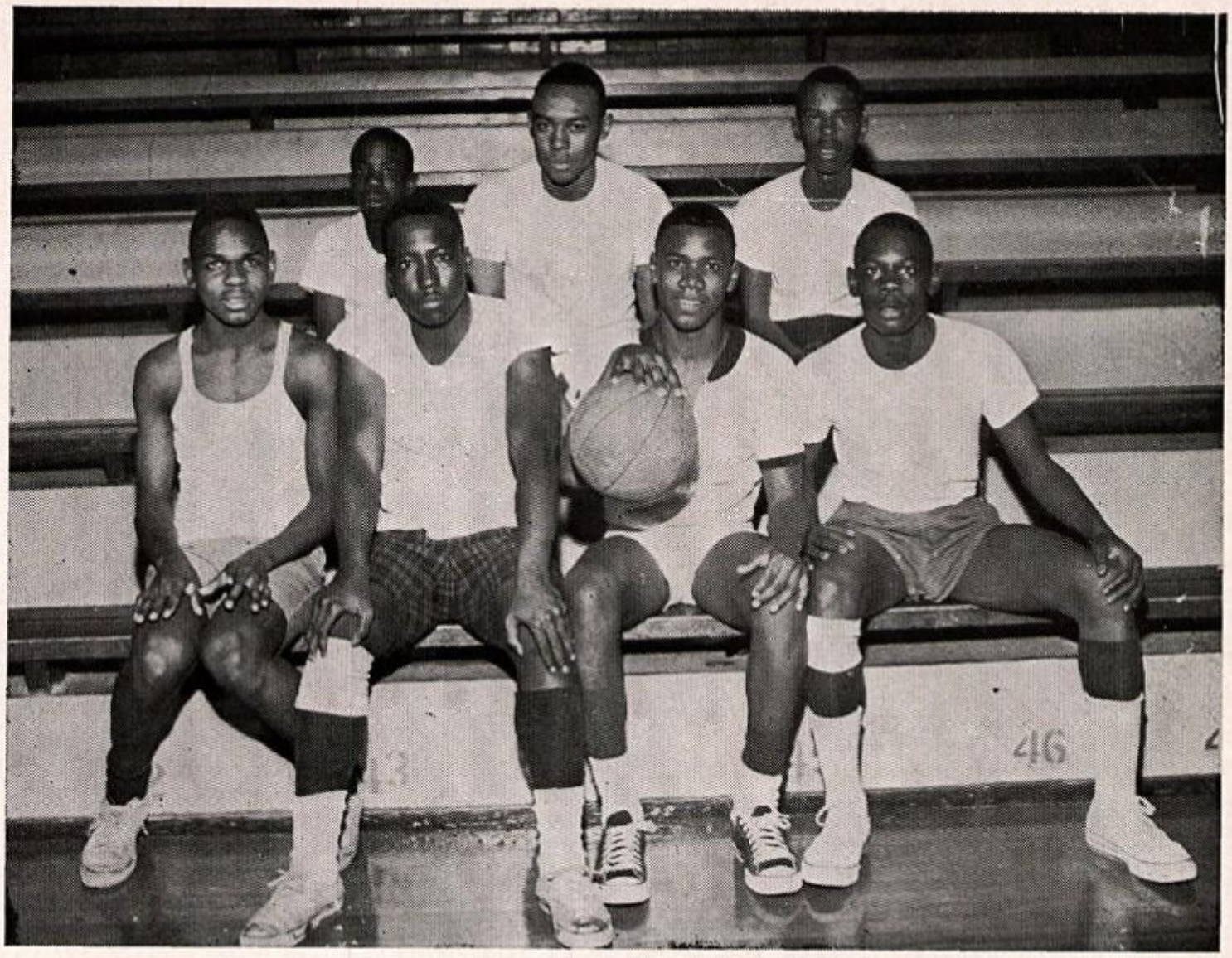
A high game was the goal of the boys at the Sports Bowl.

BANDITS: *1st Row* — Steve Smith, Fred Commodore.
2nd Row — Darrell Pendergrass, Fred Waldon, Ron Andrews.

INTRAMURALS

BOWLING interested many boys after school. Each Tuesday at 3:30 a bus departed from the school to take those interested from the school to the Sports Bowl where they competed for "high game," "high series," and "most improved" honors. High game was Larry Morris with 209; also, he had high series of 495.

THE TOUCH FOOTBALL TEAMS were strictly intramural. There were two leagues: a sophomore and a junior-senior league. The sophomore league was composed of the *Bandits* and the *Foot Stampers*. The champion was the *Bandits* who defeated the *Foot Stampers* 24 to 0. The junior-senior championship was won by the *Bad Boys*. All touch football games were played after school at the Doty House.

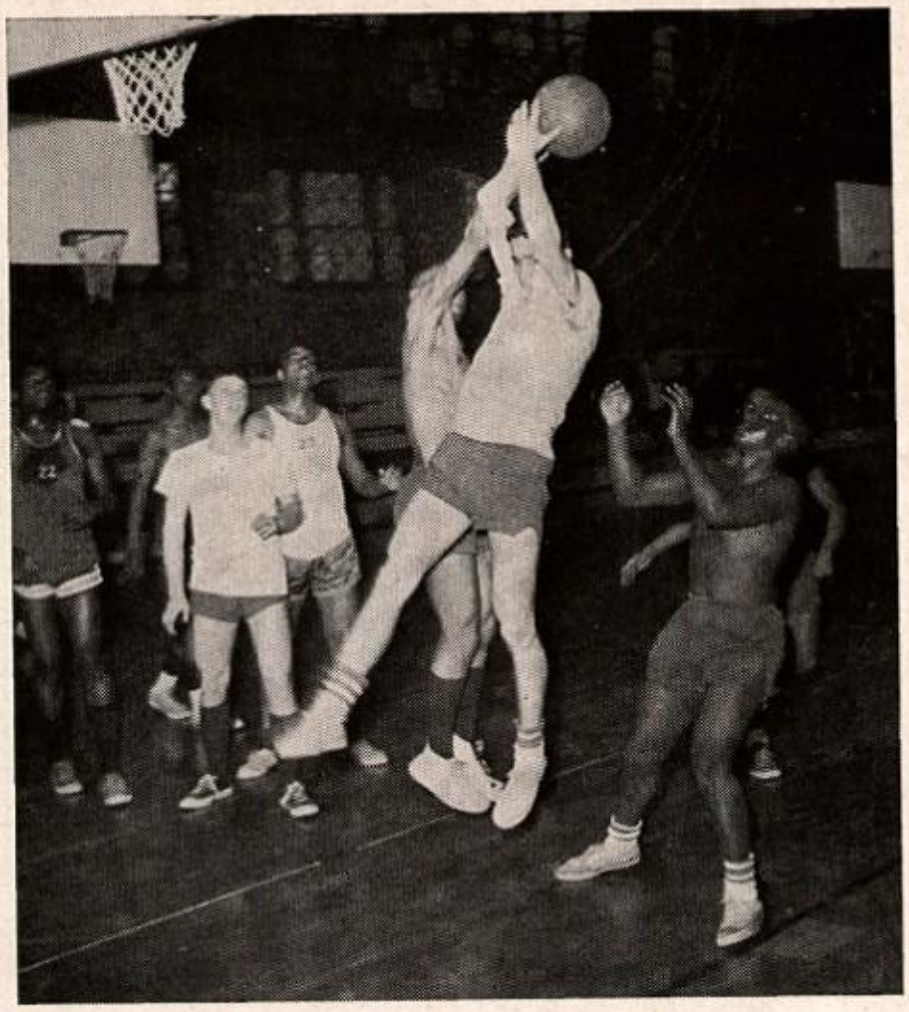


MUSLUMS: *1st Row* — Cecil Riley, Dale Shields, Robbie Vinson, Ron Andrews. *2nd Row* — Steve Smith, Kirk Newland, Darrell Pendergrass.

SOPHOMORE BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Mass frenzy ensues as both teams try for the rebound.

In the SOPHOMORE BASKETBALL LEAGUE there were ten teams which participated. They were the *Leprechauns*, the *Muslums*, the "8" *Balls*, the *Royals*, the *Tigers*, the *Super 7*, the *Victors*, the *Salamanders*, the *Green Devils*, and the *Reds*. The sophomore boys played at 5:30 in the girls' gym. The *Muslums* defeated the *Leprechauns* 72 to 62 in the championship playoff. High scorer for the winning *Muslums* was Dale Shields with 24. He was followed by Ron Andrews with 18 and Kirk Newland with 16.



John Mail tries in vain to shoot.

THE JUNIOR-SENIOR LEAGUE was just as popular this year as last. The eight teams were the *Braves*, the *Tomahawks*, the *Bullets*, the *Desperadoes*, the *Magits*, the *Greats*, the *Wildcats*, and the *Celts*. The playoff was between the *Braves* and the *Greats*. The *Braves* won the tournament championship by defeating the *Greats* 74-57. The top scoring honors for the game went to Ron Hamilton, who had 21 points. Close behind were John Smith with 18 and Bob Jordan with 16. Delbert Arnold of the *Greats* also had 18 points.

BASKETBALL LEAGUE

BRAVES: *1st Row* — Gordon Lindsay, John Smith, John Mail, Jim Bowen. *2nd Row* — Ron Hamilton, Bob Jordan, Dick Colvin.

SWANETTES: *Standing* — Dulcy Schueler, Helen Stevens, Kathy Myers, Susan Ward, Patti Fruauff, Connie Lee, Adviser Connie Randolph, Sandy Sebald, Glenna Miller, Nancy Howe. *Sitting* — Andrea Mittenholzer, Diana Paine, Nancy Stein, JoAnn Stottlemyer, Penny Boyd. *On Board* — Becky Kling, Kay Finkelman, Suzy Higdon, Debbie Reeder, Debbie Letts, Nicki Finkelman.

SWANETTES

SWANETTES is the girls' synchronized swimming group under the direction of Mrs. Connie Randolph with Miss Janet Hamilton acting as school adviser. There were twenty-five girls in this organization who elected as officers Patti Fruauff, president; Debbie Letts, secretary; Ginny Bean, treasurer; and Nicki Finkelman, manager. One of Patti's main duties was to direct the weekly practices at the Y.M.C.A.

Each year Swanettes must induct some new members to replace outgoing seniors, and all old members are required to tryout again. Throughout the year the girls perfected their swimming skills and practiced different maneuvers, working ultimately for a beautiful water show to climax the year.

"Swanettes Sircus" was the title of this year's show featuring as ringmaster John Randolph. Several of the various numbers depicting the circus theme were "Strong Men," "Lions," "Tumblers," "Horses," "Trapeze," and "Seals." For these numbers the girls designed and made their own individual costumes and props as well as doing thir own choreography.

Dulcy Schueler, Kay Finkelman, Nancy Stein, and Patti Fruauff float in a star formation as they practice for their water show.

GIRLS' TENNIS TEAM: *1st Row* — Jenny Boxwell, Susan Terry, Melinda Terry, Pam Goetz, Nancy Halderman. *2nd Row* — Coach Janet Hamilton, Cathy Little, Judi Graff, Cindy Snyder, Barbara Grine.

THE GIRLS' TENNIS TEAM, under the leadership of Miss Janet Hamilton, had a very successful 1964 season. For the 15th year they were undefeated. The four outstanding players were Susan Terry, Pam Goetz, Melinda Terry, and Cindy Snyder, each holding state rankings. Pam Goetz also has a national ranking.

Two sophomores, Cindy Snyder and Melinda Terry, won the Northwestern Ohio Girls' Interscholastic Doubles Championship held in Toledo from May 22 to May 24, 1964. They drew a bye in the first round and defeated Maumee Valley, Mansfield, and Laurel to reach the finals. They battled past Monroe, Michigan, in the finals 7-9, 6-2, 6-0 to win the championship.

RECORD

Middletown	5	Dayton Oakwood	0
Middletown	5	Hamilton Taft	0
Middletown	5	Hamilton Taft	0
Middletown	5	Monroe	0
Middletown	4	Oakwood	1

1964 GIRLS' TENNIS TEAM

Susan Terry

Cindy Mason

Stan Lewis, Melinda Terry, Cindy Snyder.

THE GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION, which is under the direction of Miss Janet Hamilton, is one of the most popular activities at M.H.S. The variety of sports that GAA offers includes volleyball, basketball, bowling· table tennis, badminton, tennis, swimming, golf, hiking, horseback riding, and softball. The points earned by participating in any of these activities are recorded by the manager for that particular sport. There is a manager for each sport, whose job it is to determine the final total of each of the girls and to report it at the end of the year.

It is required to obtain at least 100 points a year to maintain membership in GAA. For each of the sports, a specific number of points is given. At an Awards Banquet at the end of the year, awards, letters, bracelets, and medals were given. To raise money for these awards, GAA sponsored a cookie and candy sale. A minimum of 500 points is required to be eligible to hold an office in GAA. The officers must be juniors or seniors and are elected by all the members of GAA in the spring; but they do not take office until the fall of the following year. The traditional Sadie Hawkins dance, when Daisy Mae and her escort Lil' Abner were crowned, climaxed the year for GAA.

GAA OFFICERS: Chery Deisler, secretary; Maria Vradelis, treasurer; Marilyn Jacobs, vice-president; absent, Barb Napier, president.

THE GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

1st Row — Chery Deisler, Sandy Cole, Barb Napier, Marie Vradelis. *2nd Row* — Miss Janet Hamilton. *3rd Row* — Nancy Lorig, JoAnn Presley, Sharon Johnson, Georgia Alexander. *Sitting* — Marilyn Keister, Judy Cook, Sara Jones. *4th Row* — Gail Peak, Janet Kesselring, Beverlie Moon, Marilyn Jacobs.

VOLLEYBALL — *"Lively Ones — Part Two": 1st Row* — Gail Peak, Dianne Cummings, JoAnn Presley, Helen Peebles, Patricia Robinson. *2nd Row* — Evelyn Ousley, Anita Williams, Sue Tucker, Linda Darrell, Dorothy Briggs.

GAA CHAMPS

TABLE TENNIS — Pam Goetz stands ready as Chery Deisler returns a shot.

GAA bowling appeals to many girls.

GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

VOLLEYBALL was held on Tuesdays and Thursdays. This year, the girls were able to choose their own team members and captain; eleven were allowed on each team. The two teams winning the most games played each other for the championship. The *Crazy Eight*, captained by Barb Napier, was defeated by the *Lively Ones — Part II*, captained by Gail Peak, who won the championship. Each member of the winning team received a charm.

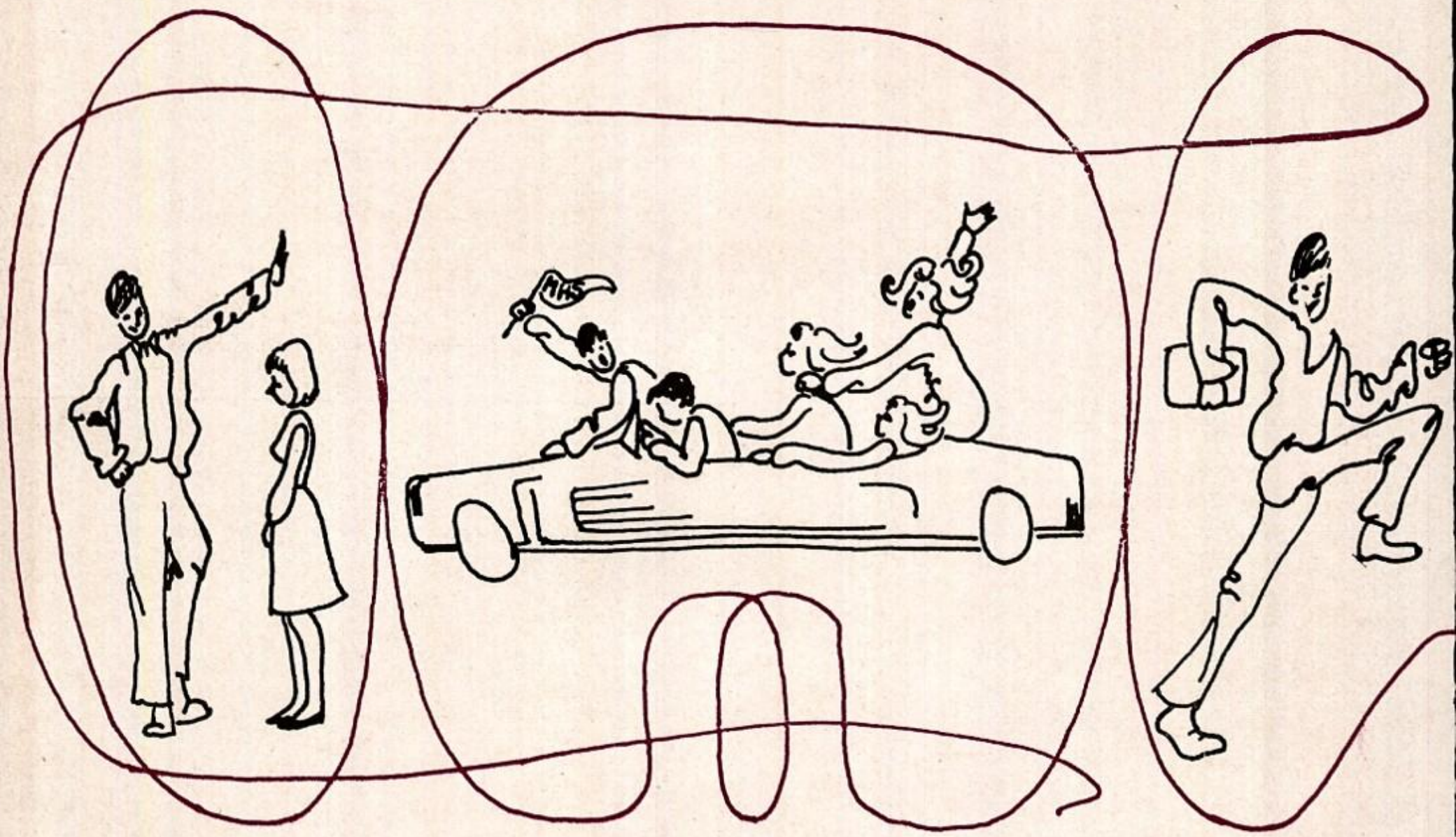
BOWLING was one of the most popular activities this year. Every Tuesday at 3:30, busses carrying approximately 100 students left the school for the Sports Bowl. At the end of eight weeks, trophies were awarded to the person with the highest game, the highest series, and the most improved game.

TABLE TENNIS tournaments were held on Thursday nights from 2:30 until 4:30. Not only are GAA points given for this, but also a champion emerges as a result of much devoted practice and a lot of fun.

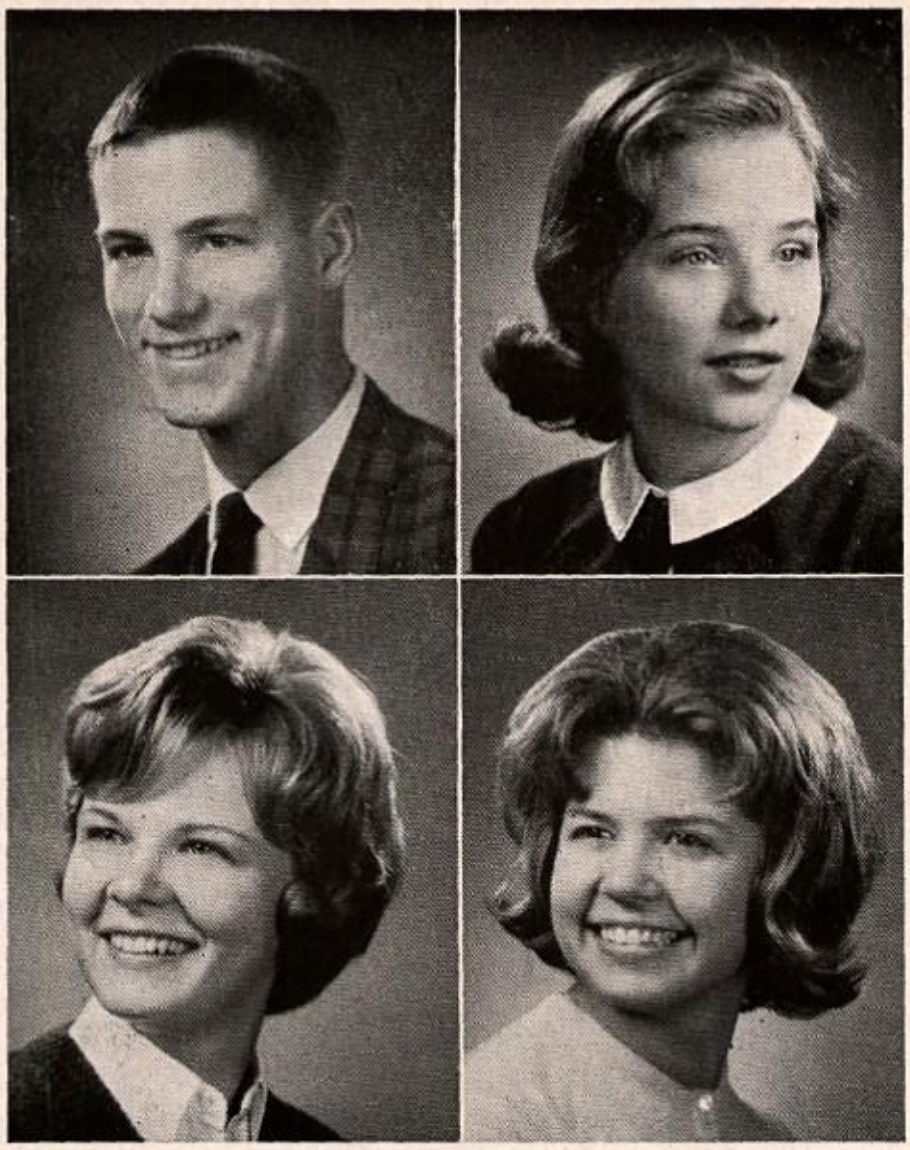
BASKETBALL was also played on Tuesday and Thursdays. Each team was allowed at least eight players, one of whom was elected captain. In the playoff of the 2:30 league, the *T.E.A.M.* defeated the *Rusty Robots*. The *Globetrotters* defeated the *Do Nothings* in a double overtime to become the champions of the 3:30 league. The championship playoff was won by the *T.E.A.M.*, who defeated the *Globetrotters*, 20-12.

T.E.A.M., *1st Row* — Candy Schroff, Helen Sarris, Donna Speigle. *2nd Row* — Penny Brewer, Emma Gillespie, Carole Senf, Janet Wills.

Middie Moments Are Crowded With



800 Sophomores, Juniors, and Seniors



OFFICERS

RICK WAXWEILER — President
Boys' State, Golf, Hi-Y, Hi-Y Council, JA, JCOWA, NHS, Optimist, Prom, Sp NHS, Student Council, Swimming.

ELIZABETH G. SANT — Vice-President
GAA, Girls' State, JCOWA, NHS, Optimist, Prom, Student Council, Y-Teens, Y-Teen Cabinet.

GINGER OSBORNE — Secretary
GAA, JCL, Jr HR Rep, Prom, Student Council, Y-Teens.

CATHERINE H. LITTLE — Treasurer
GAA, Glee Club, Jr Class Treasurer, JCL, JCOWA, Middletonian, Mixed Chorus, NHS, NLHS, Optimist, Prom, Student Council, Tennis, White and Purple Magazine, Y-Teens, Y-Teen Cabinet.

We elected new presidents to rule o'er us all;

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS: Cathy Little, treasurer; Libby Sant, vice-president; Ginger Osborne, secretary; Rick Waxweiler, president.

JAMES ADKINS

ANN LOUISE AGEE
"Bad Seed," FTA, GAA, GAA Board, Glee Club, Jr HR Rep, Middletonian, Mixed Choir, Mixed Chorus, NHS, Optimist, Prom, Student Council, Y-Teens.

PATRICIA ANN AGEE
FSA, GAA, Glee Club, Mixed Chorus, Y-Teens.

CARL CALVIN ALDRIDGE
Basketball, DECA, Intramurals.

GEORGIA ALEXANDER
"Cheaper by the Dozen," Choir, GAA, GAA Board, "Lily, the Felon's Daughter," M Club, Mixed Chorus, Y-Teens.

JOSEPHINE AMELIA ALLEN
GAA, Glee Club, JA, Mixed Choir, YCC, Y-Teens.

Waxweiler and Johnson were both chosen this fall.

SENIORS

STEPHEN RICHARD ALLISON
Band, Band Council, Hi-Y, Hi-Y Council, Intramurals.

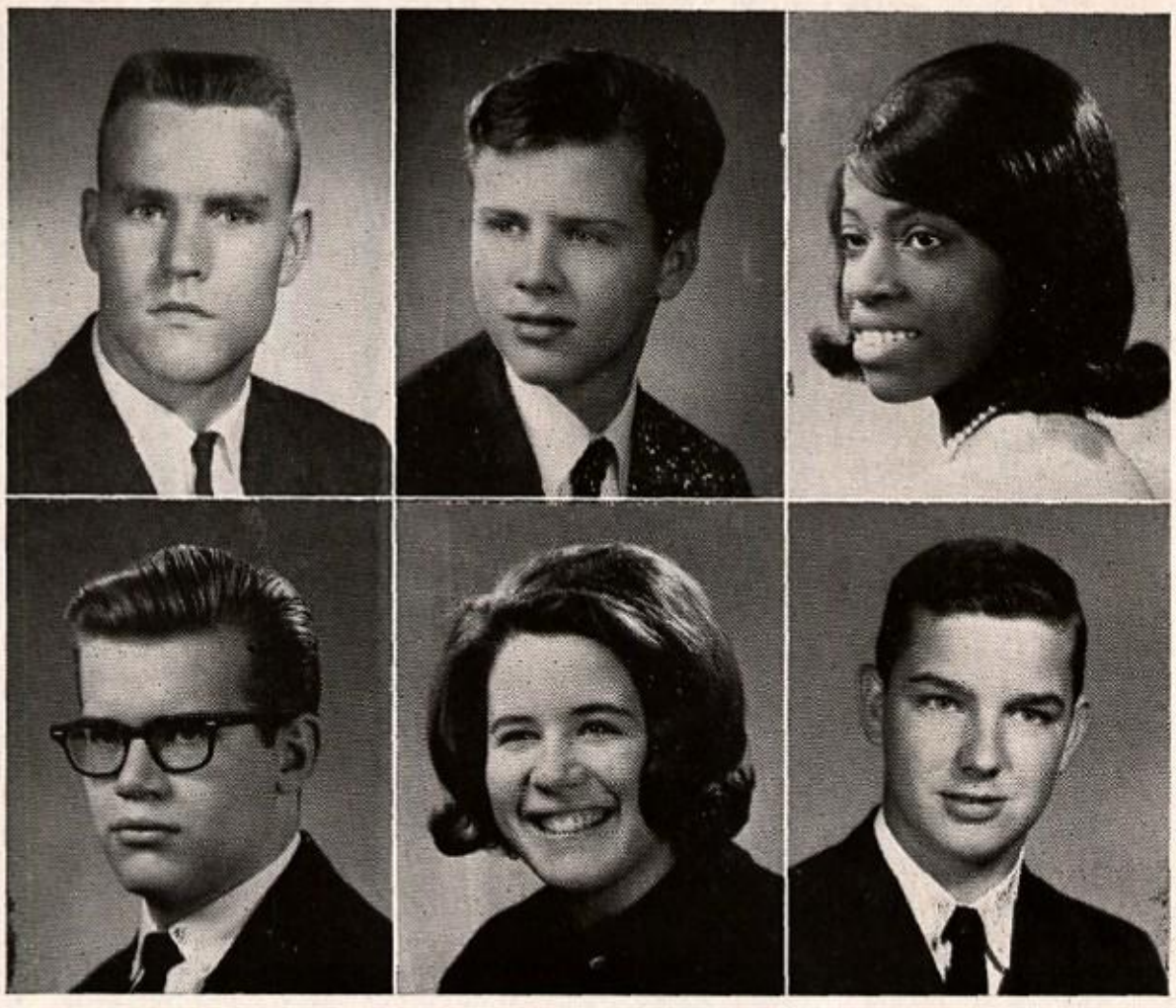
JUDY LEE AMBURGEY
FTA, JCL, "Kind Lady," NFL, Nightingale, Optimist, "Our Town," Radio Thespians, Y-Teens.

KENNETH DOUGLAS AMBURGEY
Band, Band Council, Baseball, Hi-Y, Hi-Y Council, Intramurals, Orchestra, Student Council.

RICHARD D. ANDERSON
JA.

MARTHA ANNESS
"Bad Seed," FTA, GAA, JCOWA, Mixed Chorus, Nightingale, Y-Teens.

ROSCOE VERN ANTHONY
Cross Country.



BILL APGAR
Intramurals, Prom.

MICHAEL N. ARMITAGE

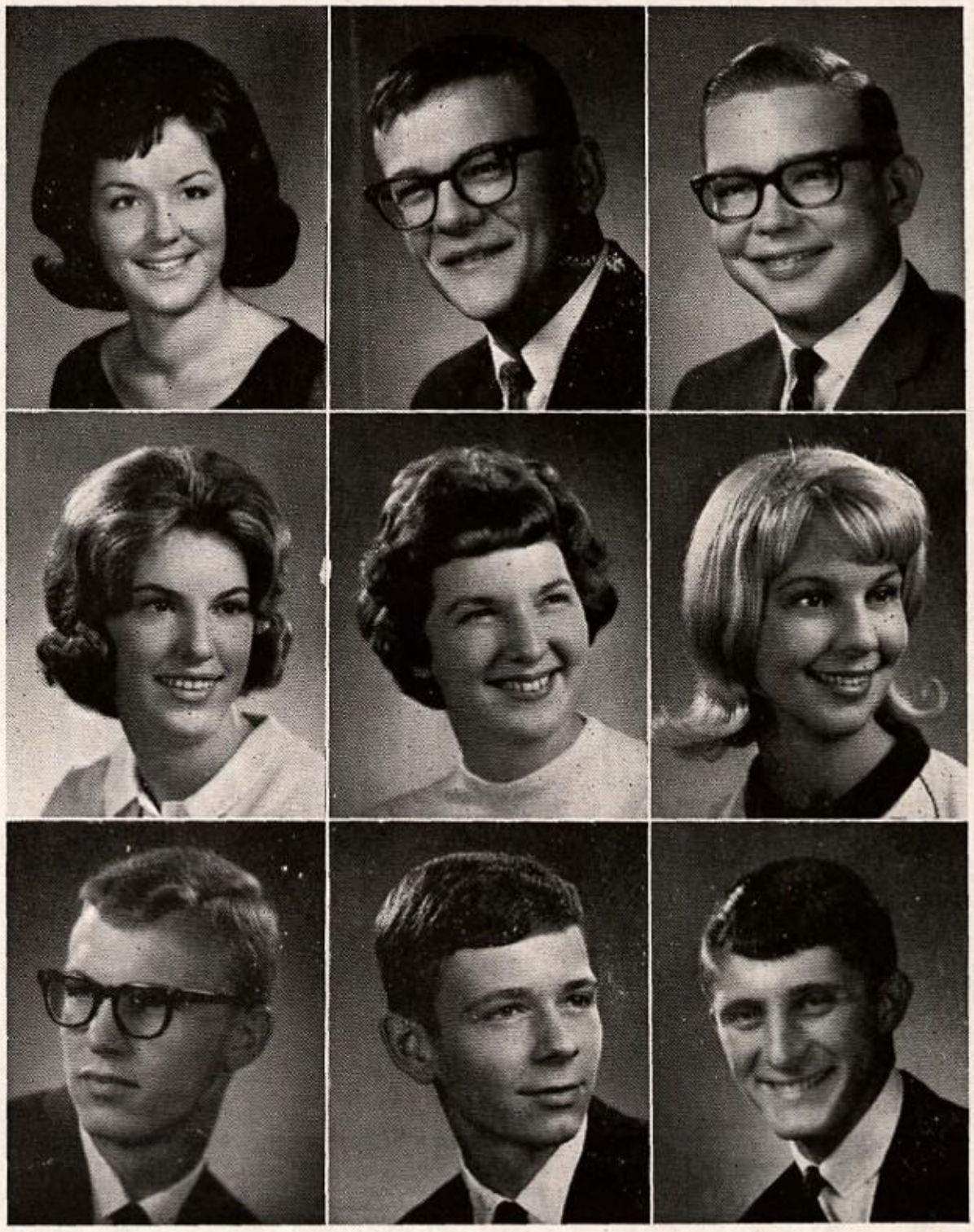
BETTY ARNETT
FTA, GAA, Glee Club, Middletoniar., Mixed Chorus, Nightingale, Prom.

THOMAS L. ARNOLD

CYNTHIA ASHCRAFT
FTA, GAA, JA, Prom.

LARRY ASHLEY
DECA, JCL.

We must never forget, not that anyone will,



DELLA BACK

WILLIAM BAILEY
Wrestling.

JOSEPH R. BAKER
Boys' State, "It's Academic," JCL, JCOWA, Middletonian, NHS, NLHS, Optimist, Prom, Radio, "Teen Scene."

JUDITH LEE BALLARD
GAA, Glee Club, Mixed Chorus, Prom, Y-Teens.

BETH NYREN BANZHAF
"Cheaper by the Dozen," FTA, GAA, German Club, Glee Club, "HMS Pinafore," "Kind Lady," "King and I," "Lily, the Felon's Daughter," M Club, Mixed Choir, Mixed Chorus, NFL, NHS, "Our Town," Prom, Thespians, Y-Teens.

JUDY BARFIELD
FTA, GAA, Glee Club, JA, Middletonian, Mixed Chorus, Nightingale, Y-Teens.

JAMES M. BARKER
Basketball, Hi-Y, Intramurals, Student Council.

ROBERT R. BARNES
Baseball, Hi-Y, Intramurals, JCOWA, Prom, Track.

JAMES R. BARNETT
"Bad Seed," Band, Band Council, Baseball, Hi-Y, Hi-Y Council, Intramurals, "It's Academic," JCL, JCOWA, Jr HR Rep, Middletonian, NHS, Optimist, Orchestra, Prom, Student Council, "Teen Scene."

MARY BARR
DECA.

CANDY BARTLETT
"Bad Seed," GAA, Golf, JCL, "Kind Lady," "King and I," Y-Teens.

ROSEZELLA S. BATES
GAA, GAA Board, JA, Middiettes.

JOHNNY BATSON
Band, Hi-Y.

RICHARD R. BEACHLER
Hi-Y, Intramurals.

RUTHIE BEALL
"Bad Seed," "Cheaper by the Dozen," FTA, GAA, Glee Club, "HMS Pinafore," JCL, JCOWA, "Kind Lady," "King and I," "Lily, the Felon's Daughter," Middletonian, Mixed Choir, Mixed Chorus, Nightingale, Optimist, Orchestra, "Our Town," Prom, Thespians, Y-Teens, Y-Teen Cabinet.

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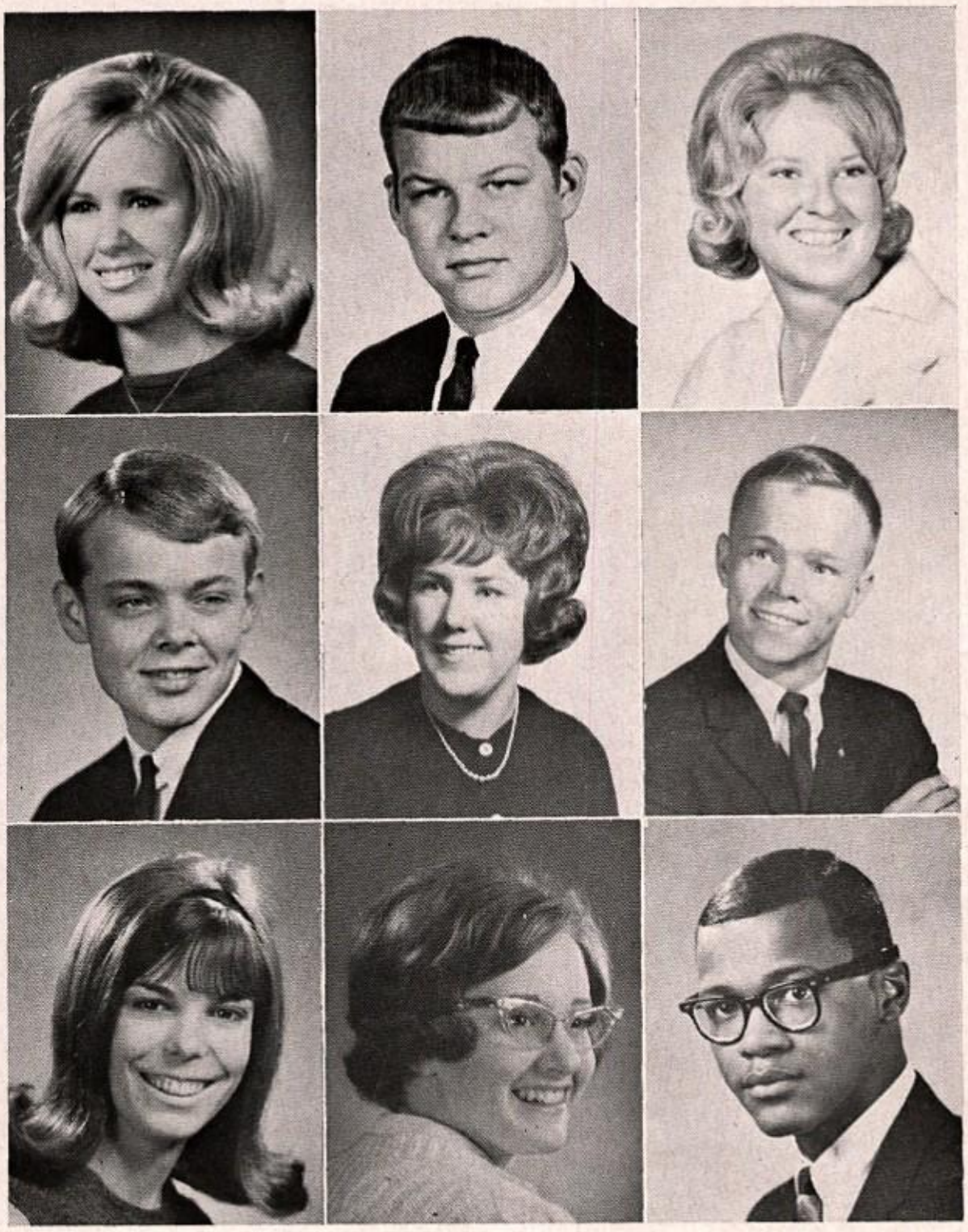


GINNY BEAN
FTA, GAA, JA, Jr HR Rep, Mixed Chorus, Sr HR Rep, Sp NHS, Swanettes, Y-Teens.

DONALD RHUDY BEASLEY
Football, Hi-Y, Intramurals, JA, Middletonian, Optimist, Prom, Track.

DIANE MARIE BECKER
GAA, Glee Club, JA, Mixed Chorus.

LARRY H. BECKWITH
Hi-Y, Intramurals.

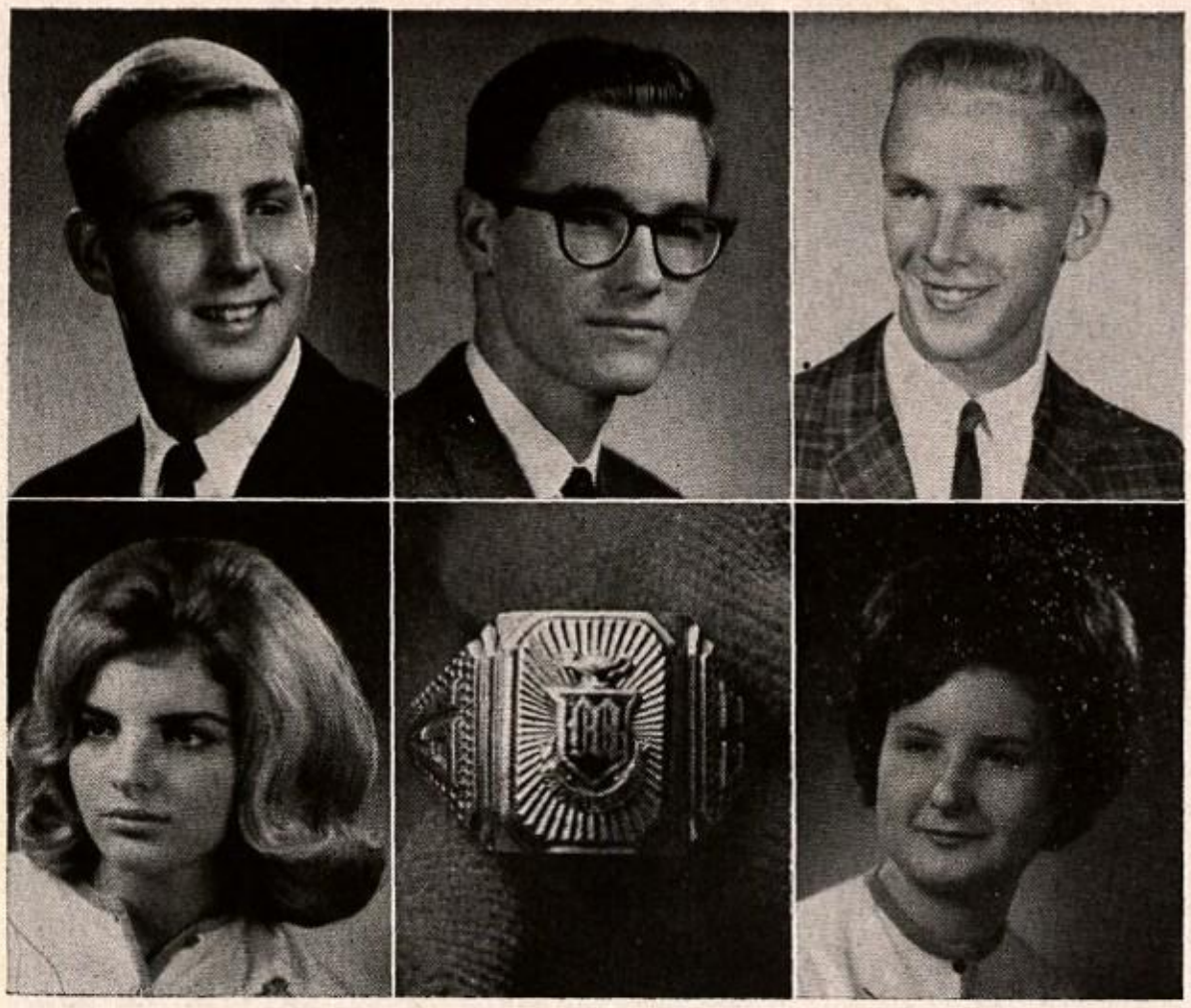
KAREN ANNE BEGLEY
Business Cadet Club, FSA, GAA, JA, Y-Teens.

GARY J. BELLAW
Hi-Y, Track.

SHARON KAY BENNINGTON
GAA, JCL, JCOWA, "Lily, the Felon's Daughter," Optimist, "Our Town," Tennis, Y-Teens.

CHRISTINE BERGDALL
GAA, JA, JCL, M Club, NHS, NLHS, Optimist, Swanettes.

CHARLES M. BESS
Football, Track.



REX BEVIS
Band, Hi-Y, Intramurals, JCL, NHS, NLHS, Optimist, Student Council, Tennis.

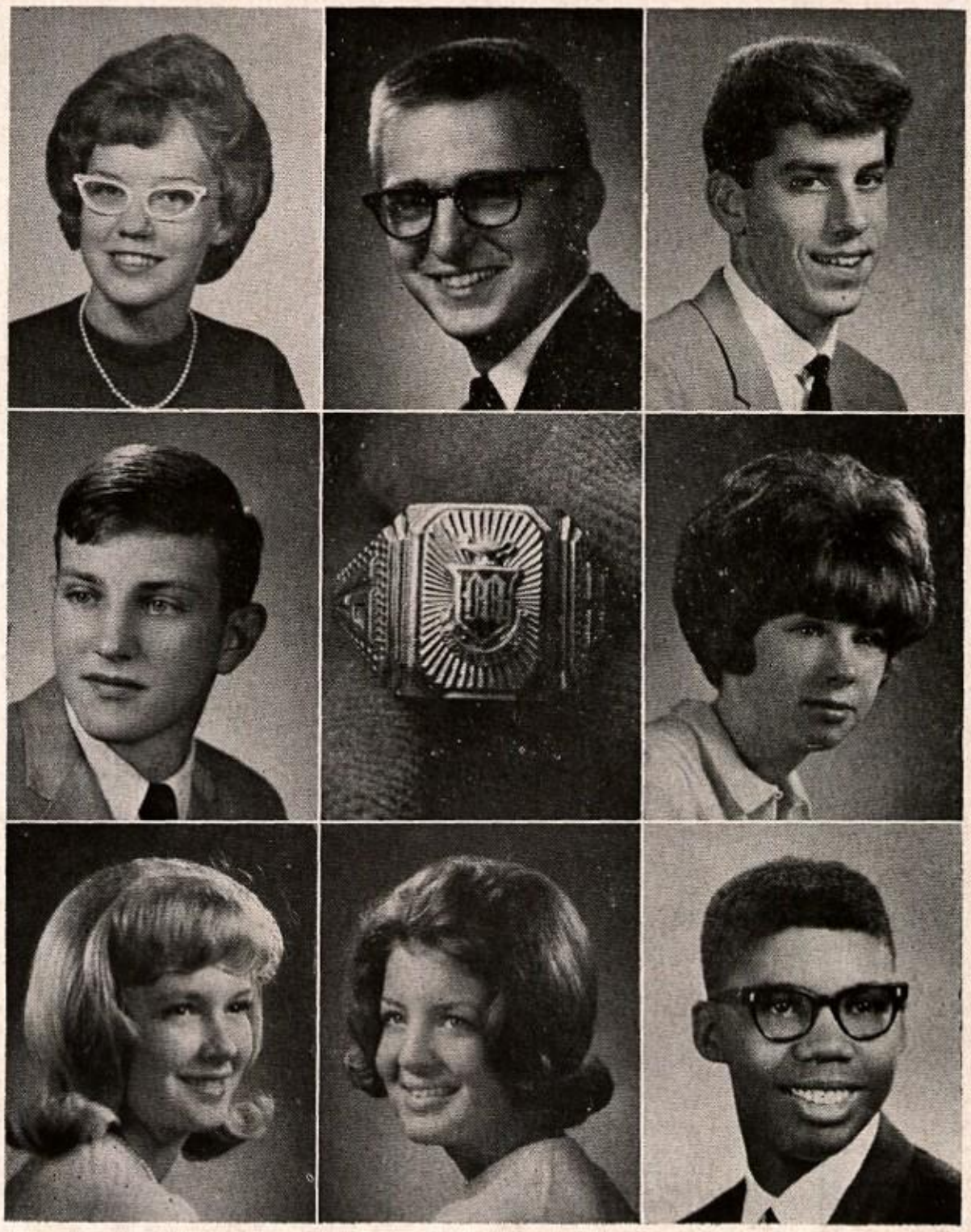
JAMES BILLMAN
Band, Chess Club, "It's Academic," JCOWA, NHS, Orchestra, "Teen Scene."

DEWEY BLANKENSHIP
Intramurals, JCOWA, Wrestling.

BRENDA KAYE BLEVINS
Art Club, GAA, JA.

JUDITH LYNN BLOSSOM
FTA, GAA, YCC, Y-Teens.

Mr. Butch's announcers were active all year, on



NANCY LOU BOOKER
Band, FSA, JA, Orchestra, YCC, Y-Teens.

JAMES EDWARD BOWEN
Basketball, Hi-Y, Intramurals, JA, Mixed Chorus, Wrestling.

LARRY BOWLIN
Intramurals.

CARL BOWMAN
Hi-Y, Intramurals.

CAROLYN ANNETTE BOYD
FSA, Glee Club, JA.

PENNY KAY BOYD
"Bad Seed," "Cheaper by the Dozen," GAA, Jr HR Rep, "Kind Lady," "King and I," Middletonian, "New Moon," Nightingale, "Our Town," Prom, Student Council, Swanettes.

JENNY BOXWELL
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CHARLES A. BRECKENRIDGE, JR.
Glee Club, Hi-Y.

ORA BREWER
Business Cadet Club, FSA, GAA, "Kind Lady," Middiettes, NHS, Y-Teens.

PENNY JOYCE BREWER
GAA, Glee Club, JA, JCL, M Club, Middletonian, Mixed Chorus, NHS, NLHS, Optimist, Y-Teens.

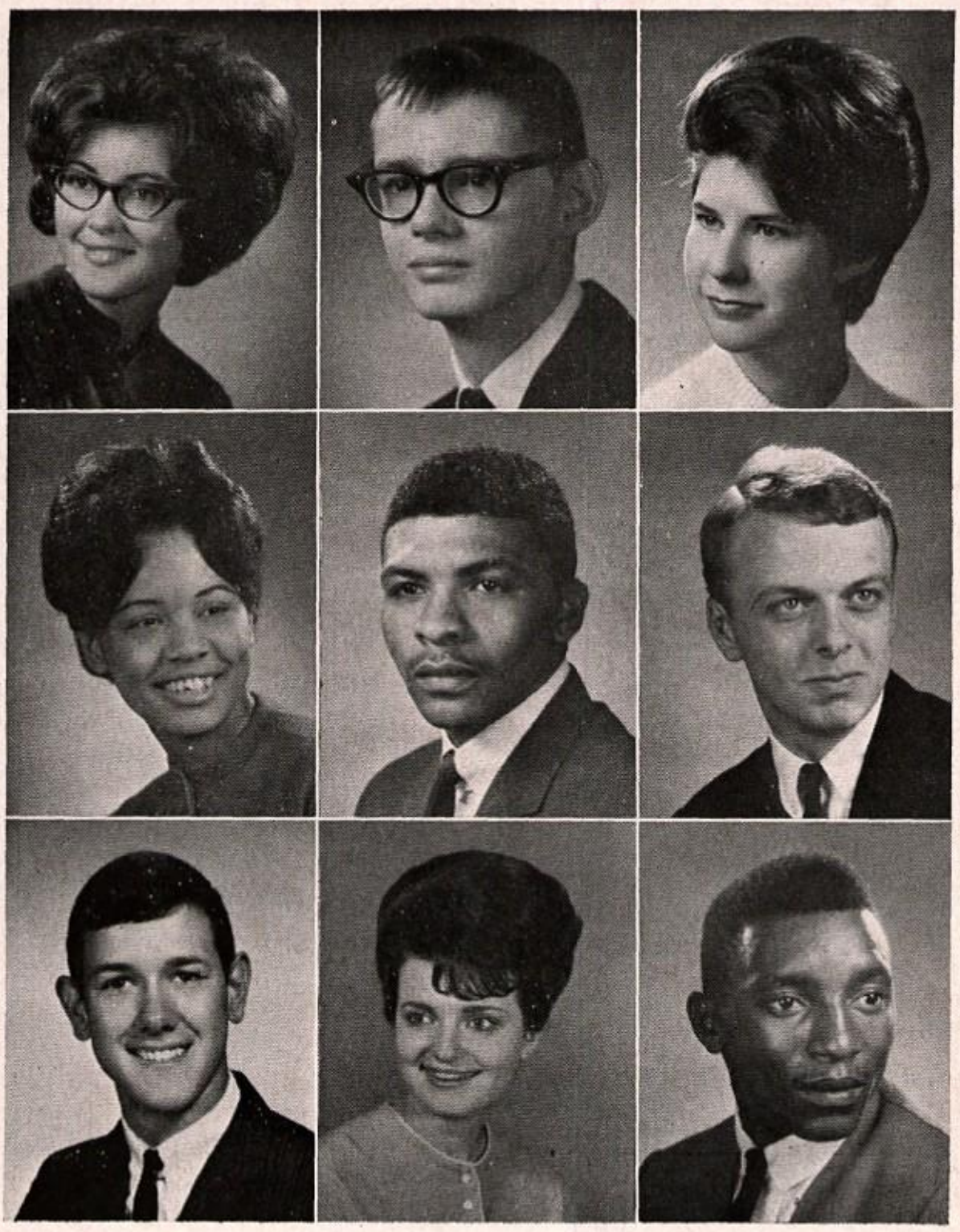
BILL BROWN
Hi-Y, Intramurals.

DALE BROWN

LINDA DIANN BROWN
Band, GAA, M Club, Nightingale, Prom, Y-Teens.

POLLY BROWN
FTA, GAA, JCOWA, Optimist, Prom, Sp NHS, Y-Teens.

the P. A. each morning their achievements we cheer.



BONNIE CHERYL BUCHANAN
FSA, JA, Y-Teens.

DAVID BURDGE
JA, Wrestling.

CAROL BURDSALL
"Bad Seed," "Cheaper by the Dozen," FTA, Glee Club, "HMS Pinafore," "It's Academic," JCL, "King and I," "Lily, the Felon's Daughter," Mixed Choir, NHS, NLHS, "Teen Scene," Thespians, Triple Trio, Y-Teens.

BEVERLY BURGESS
FTA, GAA, Jr HR Rep, Y-Teens.

JOHN BURKS
Football, Track.

JIM BURTON
Football.

STEPHEN WALLACE CABLE, JR.
JA.

CHERYLE CAIN
DECA, FSA, GAA.

JOHN CALVIN CALHOUN, JR.
Basketball, Football, Track.

RICHARD TERRIEL CALLAHAN
JA, Hi-Y, Intramurals, Jr HR Rep.

ROBERT L. CALLAHAN
Football, Hi-Y, Mixed Chorus, Track.

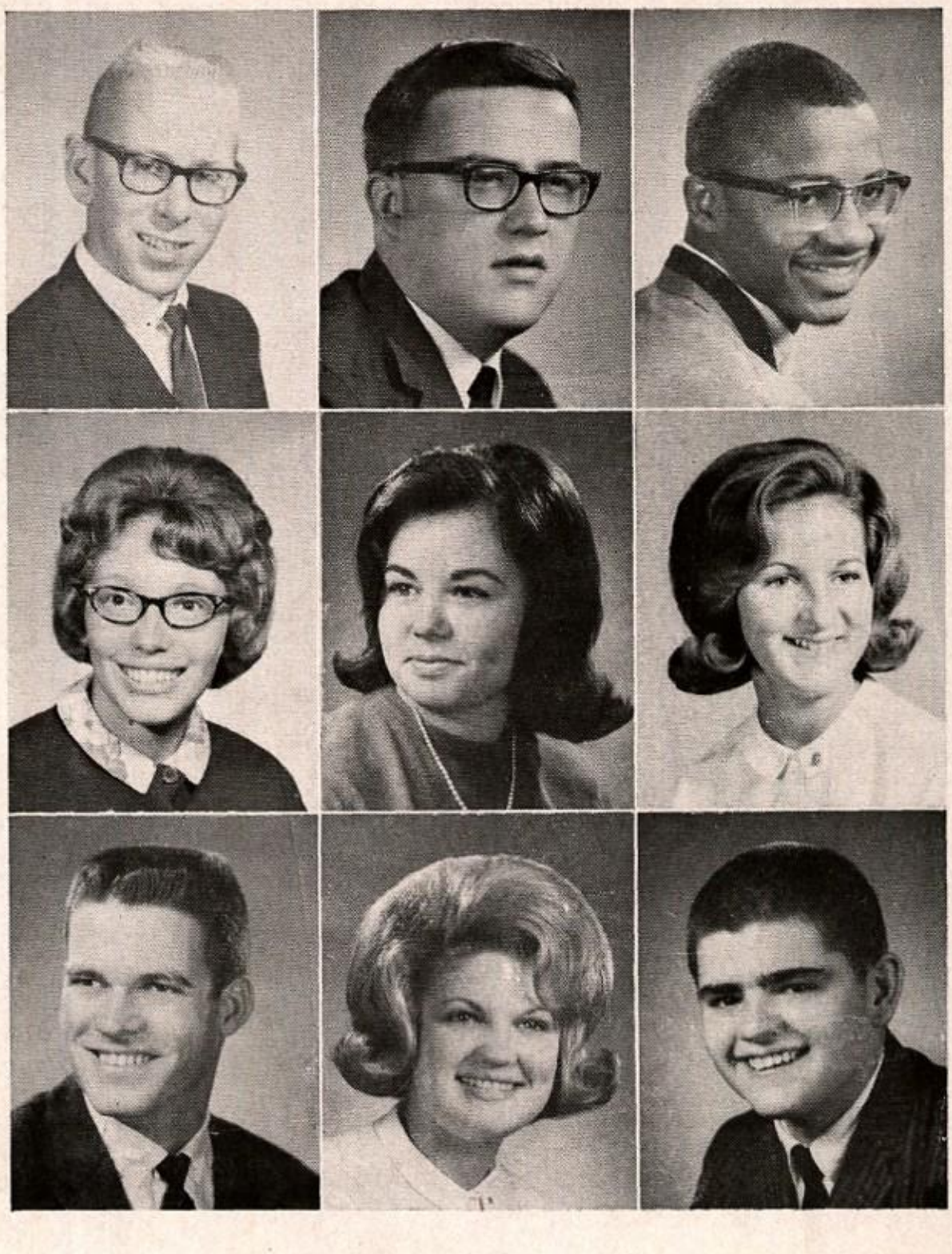
PAULETTE JANE CAMPBELL
GAA, Glee Club, JA, JCL, Mixed Choir, Mixed Chorus, Triple Trio, Y-Teens.

PATTY HUTCHINSON CARR

JOHNNYE RAY CARROLL

JERRY CARTER
Chess Club, "It's Academic," NHS, "Teen Scene."

Good features and coverage, a joke here and there,



TIM CAVEY
JA.

RICHARD CHAMBERLAIN
Intramurals, JA.

ANTHONY L. CLEMENTS
Cross County, Track.

GLENNA JEAN CLICK
Band, JA, Nightingale, Y-Teens.

PEGGY L. COCHRAN
GAA, Glee Club, JA, "King and I," Mixed Chorus, "Our Town," Y-Teens.

SANDRA JEAN COLE
FSA, GAA, GAA Board, JA, Middiettes, Y-Teens.

RICHARD LEE COLVIN
Hi-Y, Intramurals.

MARCIA S. COMBS
FSA, JA, Prom.

MIKE COMBS
Baseball, DECA, Intramurals.

NANCY S. COMBS

MELODEE YOVONNE COMMODORE
Orchestra, YCC, Y-Teens.

RODNEY JAMES CORNELLA
Baseball, Boys' State, Football, Hi-Y, Hi-Y Council, Jr Class President, Jr HR Rep, NHS, Prom, Student Council.

ROY JAMES CORNWELL, II
Wrestling.

OPHELIA MAE COTTON
FTA, GAA, Glee Club, JA, Nightingale, Y-Teens.

JOYA I. COTTRELL
GAA, Glee Club, Mixed Chorus, Nightingale, YCC, Y-Teens.

make our newspaper rank as the best anywhere.

KARYL LARAE COTTY
Band, GAA, JA, Middletonian, Nightingale, Orchestra, Y-Teens.

STEVEN COX
Band, Band Council, Prom.

FRED CRANFORD
Football, Intramurals, Track.

JAMES THOMAS CRAWFORD
"Bad Seed," Debate, JA, JCOWA, "King and I," Middletonian, NFL, Radio, Thespians.

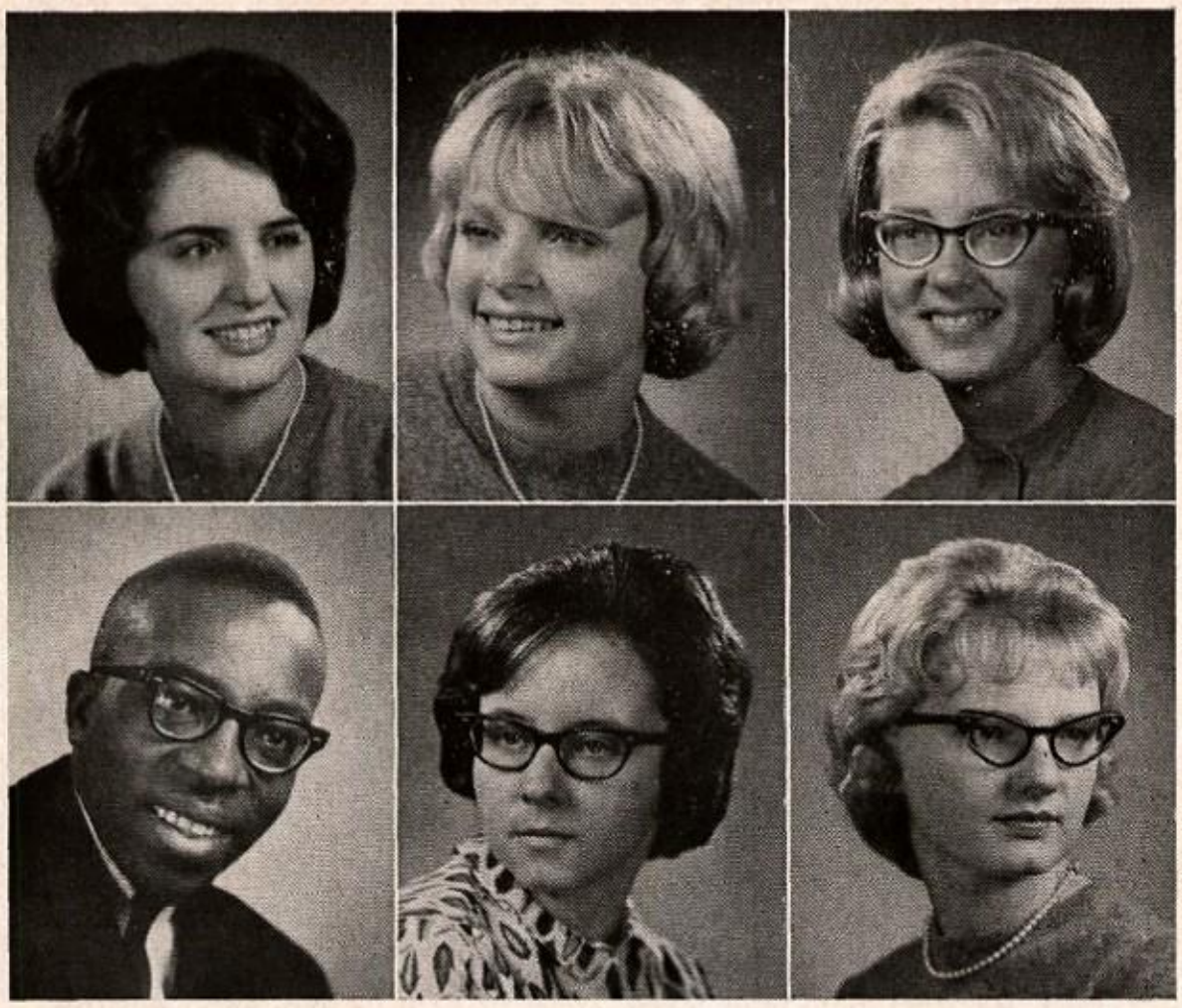
WALTER CRENSHAW, JR.
Band, Band Council, Boys' State, "HMS Pinafore," JA, JCL, Mixed Choir, "New Moon," NHS, Optimist, Prom, Radio, Student Council.

MICHAEL ROBERT CROAKE
Basketball, Hi-Y, Intramurals, Prom.

JANIS ELAINE CROWE
Nightingale.

STANLEY CUPP
Intramurals.

SUSAN CURLIS
GAA, JCL, Y-Teens.



JO LYNN CURTIS
FSA, Nightingale.

KATHERINE ELAINE DAKIN
"Bad Seed," FSA, JA, "Kind Lady," "Our Town," Sr HR Rep.

ELAINE DANNIS
FTA, GAA, Glee Club, "HMS Pinafore," JCL, JCOWA, Jr HR Rep, Mixed Choir, NHS, NLHS, Nightingale, Optimist, Orchestra, Prom, Y-Teens, Y-Teen Cabinet.

JAMES R. DAVENPORT

SHERRY DAVIS
FSA, Glee Club, JA.

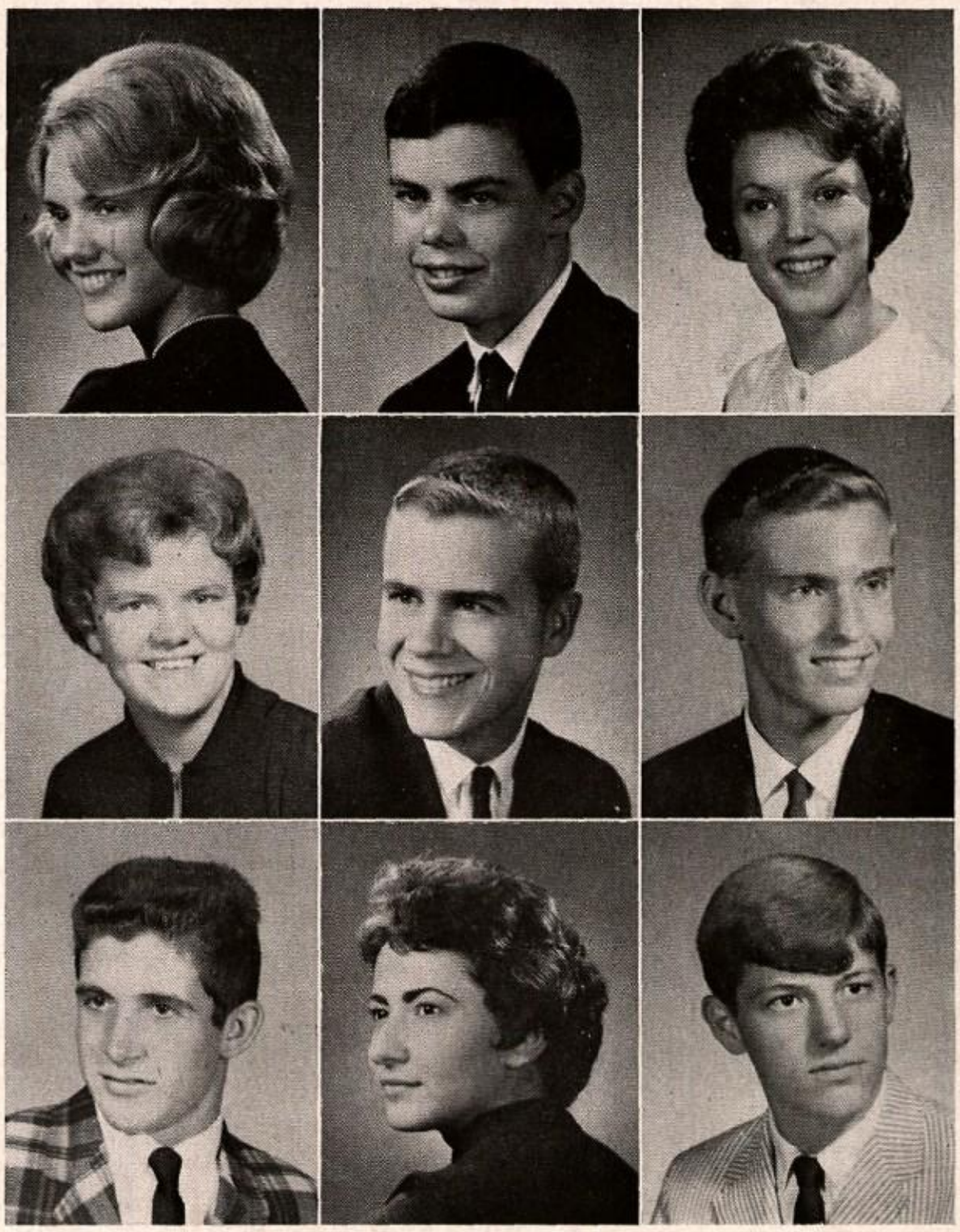
BONNIE DAY
GAA, JA, JCL, Mixed Chorus, Nightingale.

The OPTIMIST staffs toiled to complete it in time,

DANA LEE DAY
FSA, GAA, Optimist, Prom, Y-Teens.

MICHAEL E. DAY
Cross Country, Debate, Hi-Y, Intramurals, Sp NHS, Track.

REBECCA JEAN DAY
Y-Teens.



SARA DEAN

RICHARD DEARTH

DAVID DEATON
Cross Country, Intramurals, Track.

JAREL DEATON
Baseball, Intramurals.

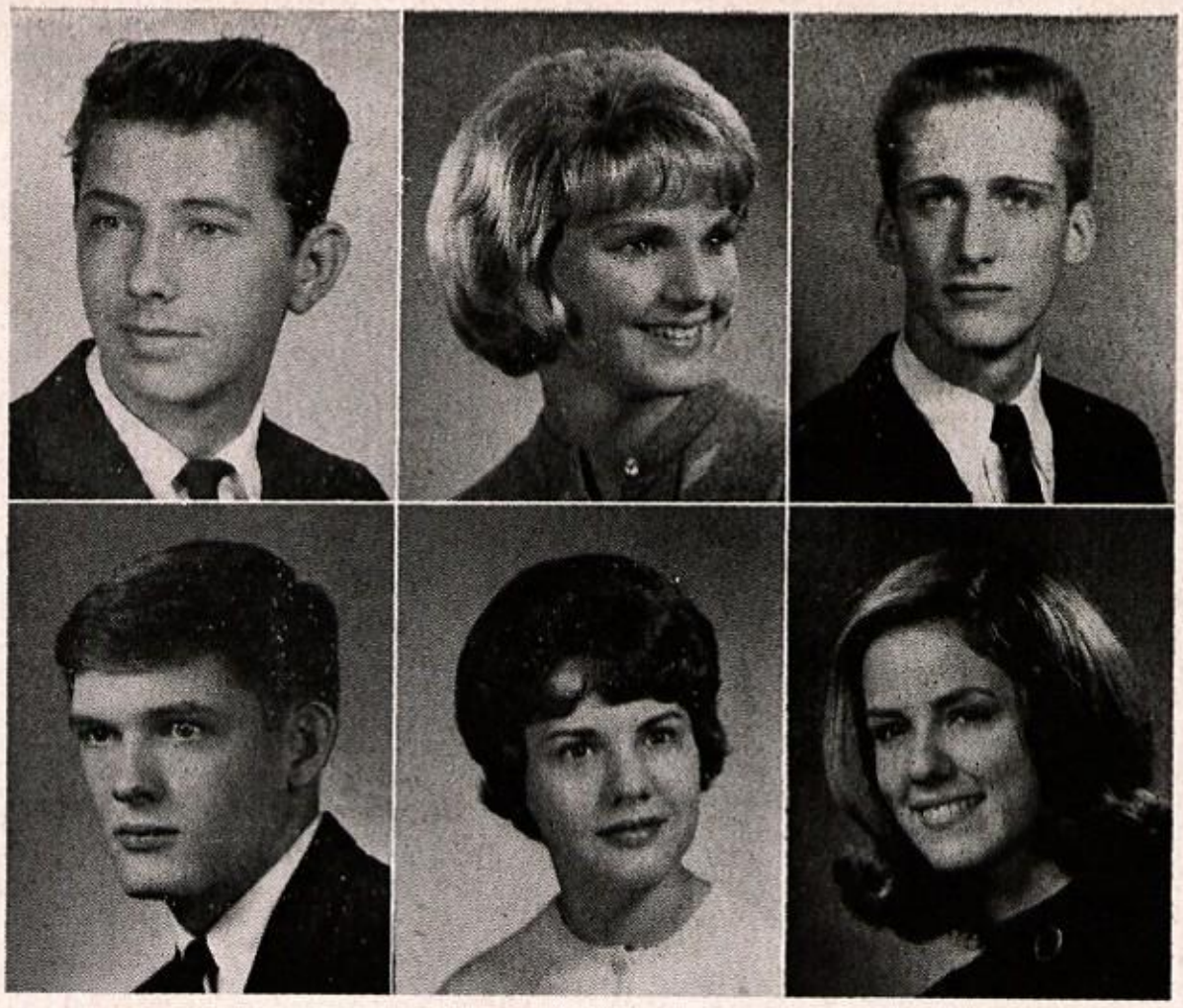
RUTH ANN DEATON
Business Cadet Club, JA, Student Council.

LARRY DEBOLT
Hi-Y, JA.

DONALD RAY DEEM

CHERYL DEISLER
Cheerleader, FTA, GAA, GAA Board, JCOWA, Middiettes, NHS, Optimist, Prom, Sr HR Rep, Y-Teens.

ROBERT B. DELL, JR.
Hi-Y, Hi-Y Council, JA, Mixed Chorus, Student Council.



DON DENNIS
Hi-Y, Hi-Y Council, Intramurals, Track.

CHARLENE DENNISTON
DECA, GAA, Glee Club.

JACQUELIN J. DEVOE
GAA, Glee Club, JCOWA, Nightingale, Prom, Y-Teens.

and to make it excel as the best in our line.

CONNIE DICKERSON
GAA.

BRUCE DOMINECK
Band, Band Council, Baseball, Boys' State, Hi-Y, Intramurals, JA, JCL, NFL, NHS, NLHS, Orchestra, "Our Town," Student Council, Thespians.

DIANNE KAY DRAKE
FTA, GAA, Glee Club, Middletonian, Mixed Chorus, Optimist, Prom, Student Council, White and Purple Magazine, Y-Teens.

GORDON DRENNEN
Football, Intramurals, Track, Wrestling.

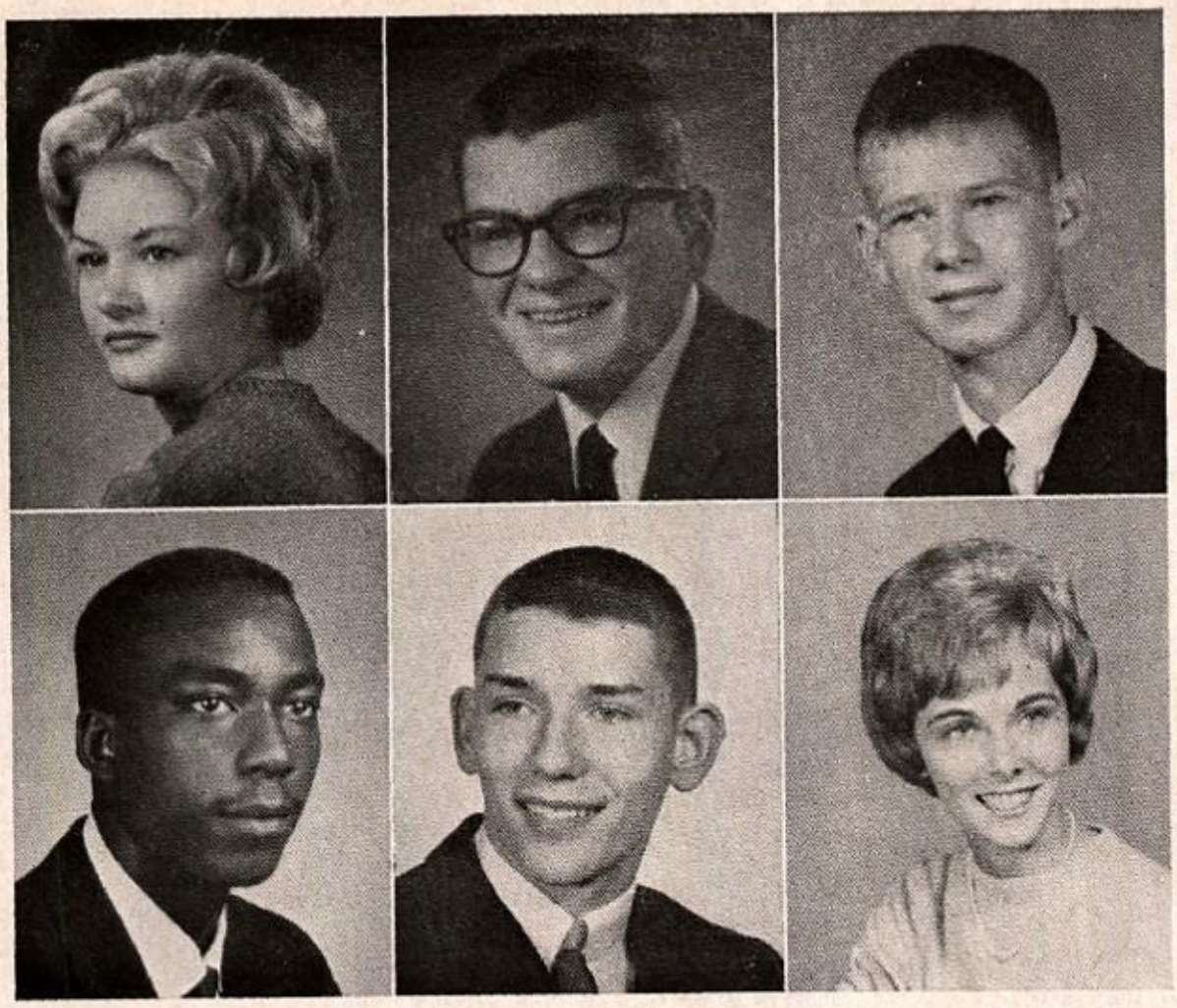
DALE DUDLEY
Band, Band Council, Hi-Y, Orchestra.

PAULA JAN DUNCAN
FTA, "HMS Pinafore," Nightingale.

JOYCE HELEN DUNN
Business Cadet Club, Glee Club.

KAREN M. DUVALL
"Cheaper by the Dozen," Glee Club, Middletonian, Mixed Chorus, NHS, Optimist, Prom, Y-Teens.

DIANNE EASTON
Band, GAA, Nightingale, Sp NHS, Swanettes, Y-Teens, Y-Teen Cabinet



PEGGY ANN EFKER
"Bad Seed," Business Cadet Club. "Cheaper by the Dozen," FSA. "Kind Lady," "King and I," NHS, Optimist, Thespians, Y-Teens.

MARTIN EGELSTON
Middletonian, Optimist.

BILL ELLEN

JIMMIE LEE ELMS
Intramurals.

GARY EMRICK
Basketball.

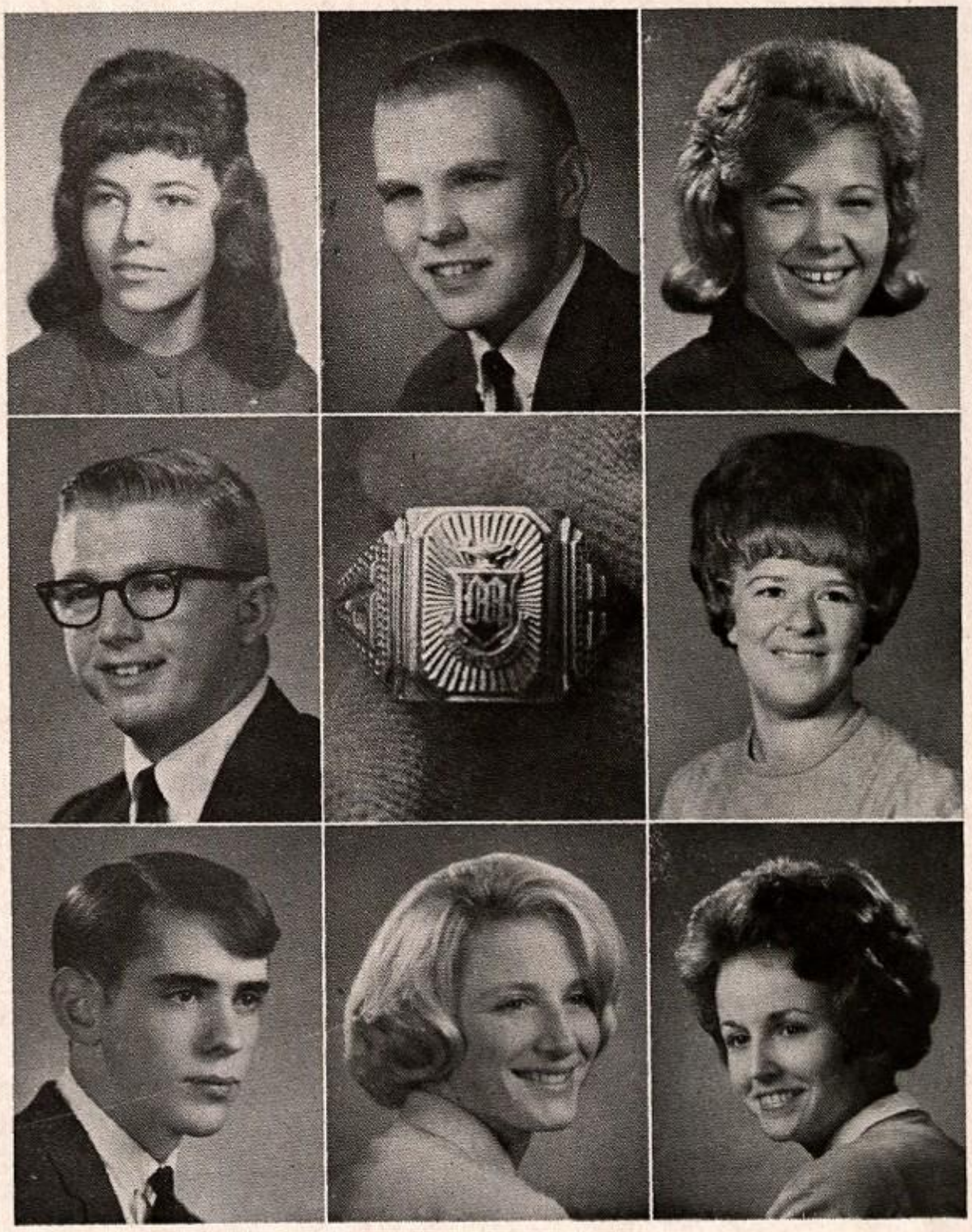
VICKI EMRICK
FSA, GAA, JA.

The N. H. S. members are the leaders of the class,

MELODY ELOUISE ESTES
Business Cadet Club, FSA, Glee Club.

ROBERT HOLMES EULER
"Bad Seed," "Cheaper by the Dozen," "HMS Pinafore," Jr HR Rep. "Kind Lady," "Lily, the Felon's Daughter," NFL, "New Moon," "King and I," "Our Town," Radio, Thespians.

LINDA KAY EVANS
FSA, GAA, Glee Club, Mixed Choir, Mixed Chorus, Y-Teens.



RALPH FEERER
Intramurals, JA.

LAVANDA ANN FERGUSON
Band, JA.

DAVID C. FERLISE
Band, Hi-Y, JA.

NINETTE S. FINKELMAN
GAA, JCOWA, "Kind Lady," Mixed Choir, Nightingale, Swanettes, Y-Teens.

SUZANN FISCUS
Glee Club, Mixed Chorus.

PENNY SUELLEN FISHER

DIANA FLATTER
FSA, JA, Y-Teens.

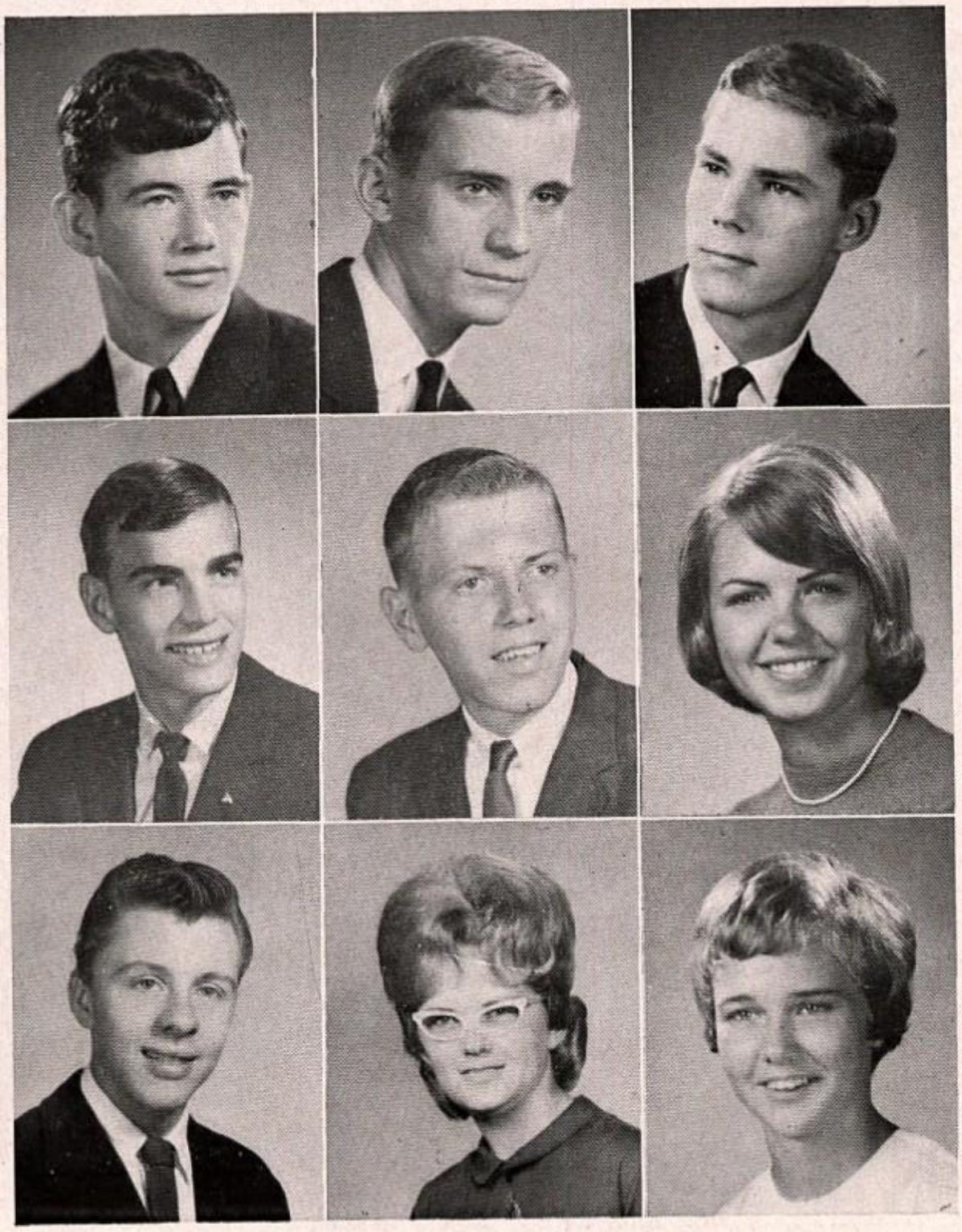
GAIL ELAINE FLATTER
Business Cadet Club, FSA, NHS.

BEVERLY FLETCHER
Business Cadet Club, FSA.

FAYE LOIS FORD
GAA, GAA Board, Glee Club, "HMS Pinafore," "King and I," Middletonian, Mixed Choir, NHS, Nightingale, Optimist, Prom, Sr HR Rep, Sp NHS, Student Council, Y-Teens.

LARRY FOSSE
Band, Band Council, Intramurals, NHS, Orchestra.

their honors and achievements are hard to surpass.



HARRISON LEE FRANCIS
Hi-Y, JA, Optimist.

MIKE FRANCIS
Hi-Y, Intramurals.

ERIC FRAUNFELTER
Golf, Hi-Y, Intramurals, JCL, NHS, Optimist, Prom, White and Purple Magazine.

DON FRITZSCHE
Hi-Y.

DAVID LEE FROST
FTA, Intramurals, JA, Middletonian, Sr HR Rep, Tennis.

PATRICIA ANN FRUAUFF
FTA, GAA, Girls' State, Glee Club, JCL, JCOWA, "King and I," Middletonian, Mixed Choir, NHS, NLHS, Optimist, Prom, Student Council, Swarettes, Y-Teens.

EDDIE FUGATE

MARSHA D. FUGATE
Glee Club.

RUTH GALLOP
FTA, GAA, Nightingale.

JAMES ANTHONY GANN
Band, Hi-Y, Intramurals, JA, Orchestra, Track.

CORETHA GANTLING
GAA, Nightingale.

JUDITH GASTON

SHARON LEE GAYNOR
DECA, GAA, JA, Nightingale, Y-Teens.

TERESA KAY GAYNOR
GAA, JA, JCL, Nightingale, Optimist, Y-Teens.

GENE GEISLER
Basketball, Intramurals.

Y-Teens supported each religious belief, both

MYRTLE ANN GENTRY

JOHN LAWRENCE GIBSON
DECA.

EMMA KAYE GILLESPIE
"Bad Seed," GAA, Glee Club, "HMS Pinafore," JCL, "Cheaper by the Dozen," JCOWA, "Kind Lady," "King and I," Mixed Chorus, NHS, Optimist, "Our Town," Prom, Thespians, Y-Teens, Y-Teen Cabinet.

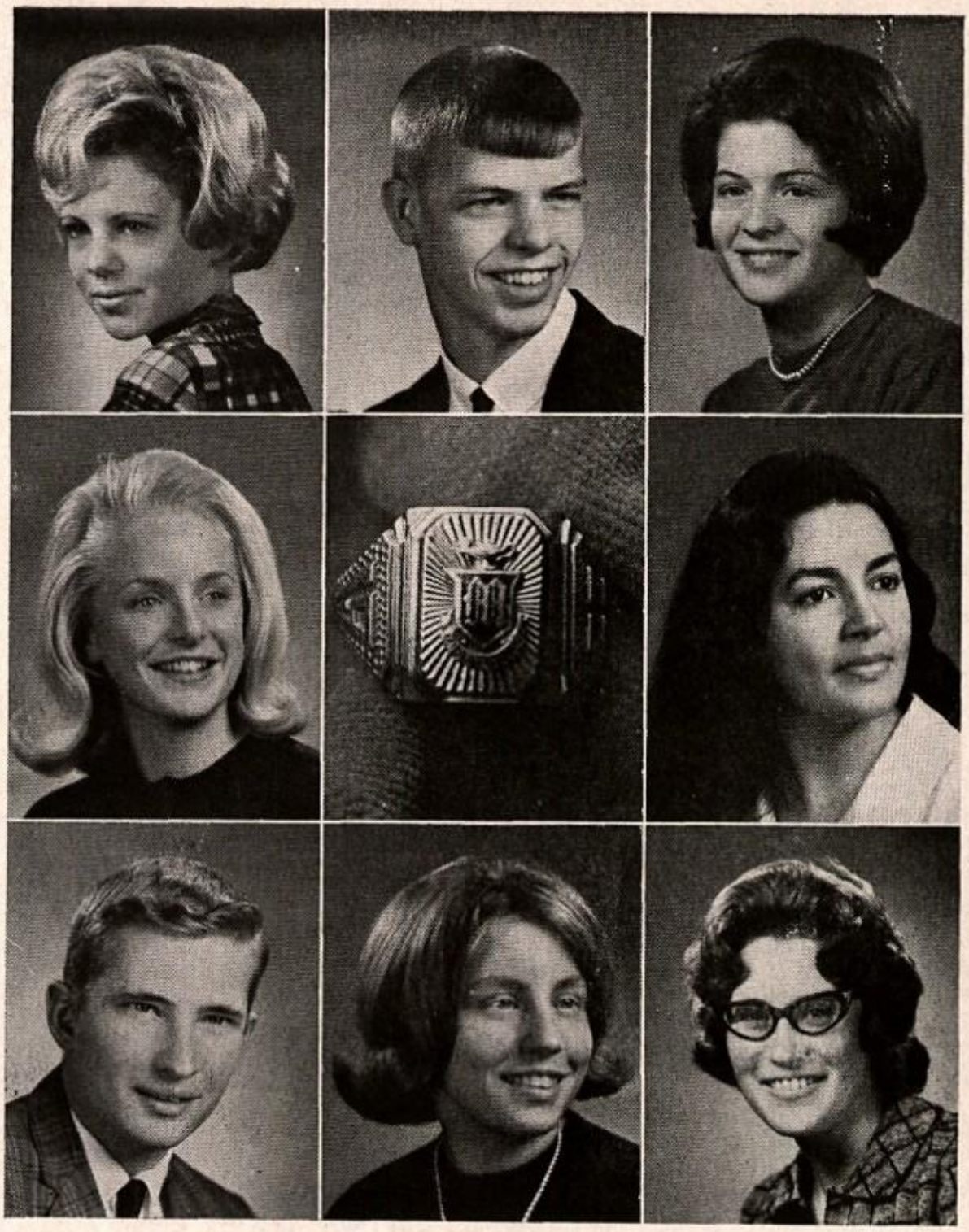
PAMELA KAY GOETZ
Cheerleader, FTA, GAA, GAA Board, Glee Club, JCL, "Kind Lady," Mixed Choir, Mixed Chorus, Optimist, Prom, Student Council, Tennis, Y-Teens, Y-Teen Cabinet.

MARLI SILVA GONÇALEZ
AFS, GAA, JCOWA, "Lily, the Felon's Daughter," M Club, Middletonian, Student Council, Y-Teens.

BOB GOODWIN
Band.

JUDITH LYNNE GRAFF
GAA, GAA Board, Glee Club, JA, "King and I," Mixed Chorus, Prom, Tennis, Y-Teens.

LINDA GRAHAM
JA.



JOSEPH V. GRAHAM

THERESA GRAHAM
Band, Chess Club, JCL, M Club, NHS, NLHS, Nightingale, Optimist, Orchestra, YCC, Y-Teens.

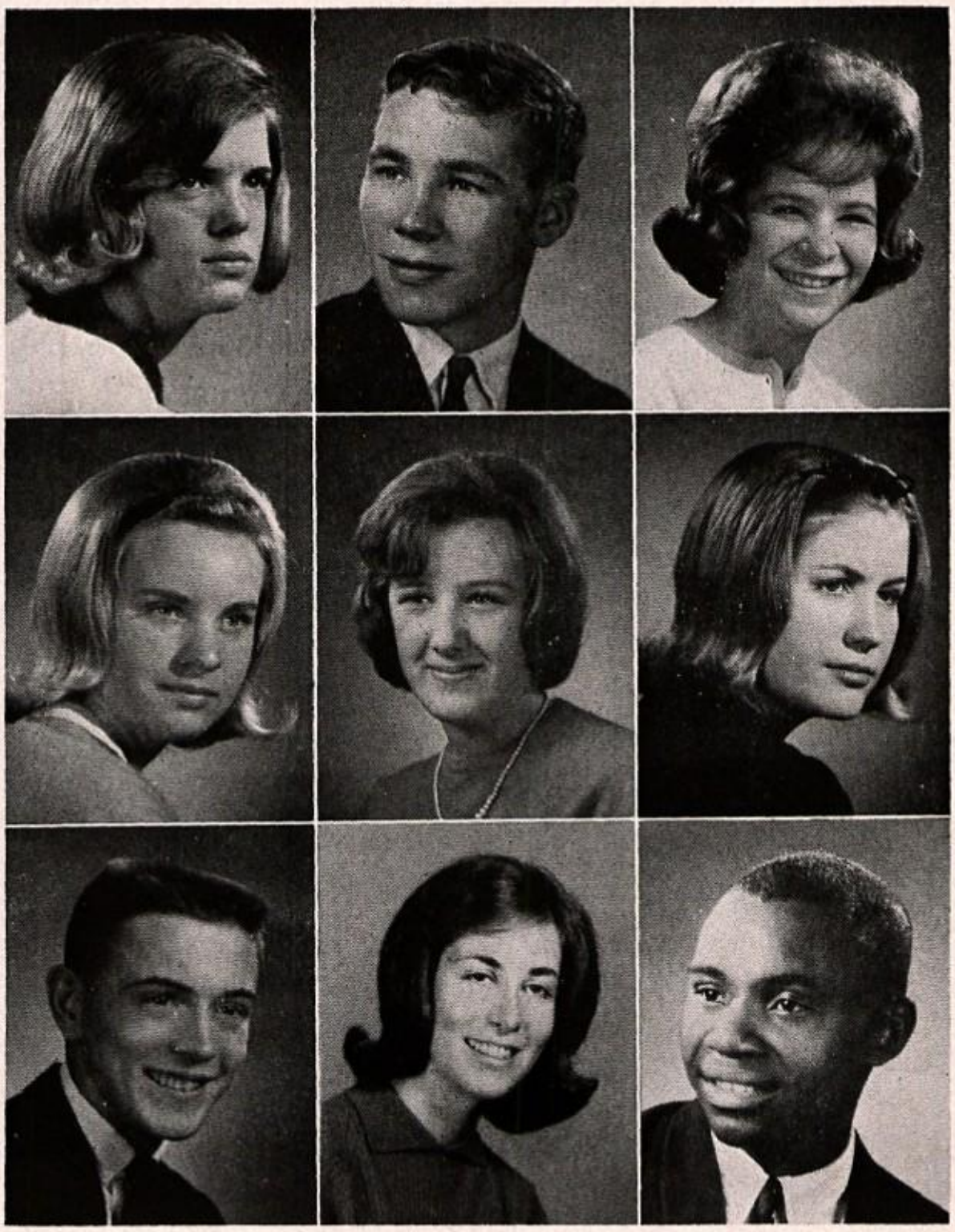
HENRIETTA GREEN

SHERYLE GREENWELL
Business Cadet Club, FSA.

ROBERT C. GRIFFIN
"Bad Seed," "Cheaper by the Dozen," Hi-Y, "HMS Pinafore," JCOWA, Jr HR Rep, "King and I," "Lily, the Felon's Daughter," NFL, "Our Town," Radio, Sp NHS, Thespians.

THOMAS B. GROVES, JR.
DECA, Sr HR Rep, JA.

old ones and new ones we learned at retreat.



LEAH RAE GRUBBS

PAUL S. HABIG
Intramurals, JA, JCL.

CONSTANCE KARLENE HAHN
Band, GAA, JA, Nightingale, Y-Teens.

NANCY ELLEN HALDERMAN
FTA, GAA, Glee Club, "Kind Lady," "King and I," Mixed Choir, Mixed Chorus, Optimist, Prom.

DEBORAH KAY HALE
Band, GAA, JA, JCOWA, Middletonian, Nightingale, Sr HR Rep, Y-Teens.

BARBARA HALL
GAA.

ROBERT HALL
Band, Hi-Y, Orchestra.

CAROLYN JEAN HAMILTON
GAA, Prom, Y-Teens.

RONALD HAMILTON
Basketball, Football, Hi-Y, Intramurals.

LARRY HAMM

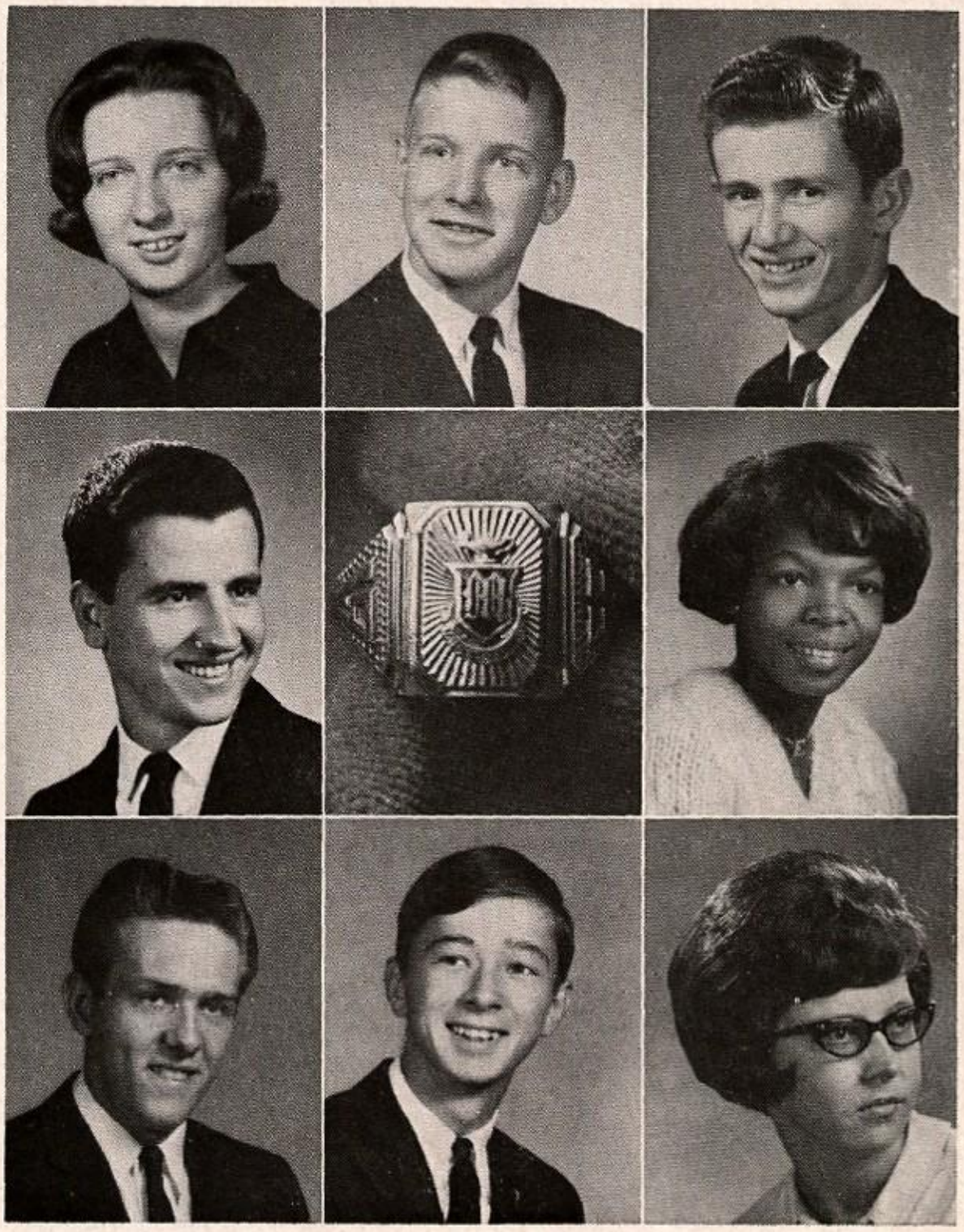
CAROLYN SUE HAMMOND
GAA, JCOWA, Middletonian, Nightingale.

JOHN G. HANCOCK
JA.

BABETTE HARLAN
"King and I," Nightingale.

GAIL LAVERNE HART

Hi-Y's have been changed, they're different this year,



SHARON ANN HARTER
GAA, JA, Nightingale, Y-Teens.

ROBERT HASKINS
Intramurals, JA.

NICK JEFF HATJISTILIANOS

PAUL HATJISTILIANOS

ESTHER L. HAWKINS
JA, Jr HR Rep, Nightingale.

PHIL HAWKINS

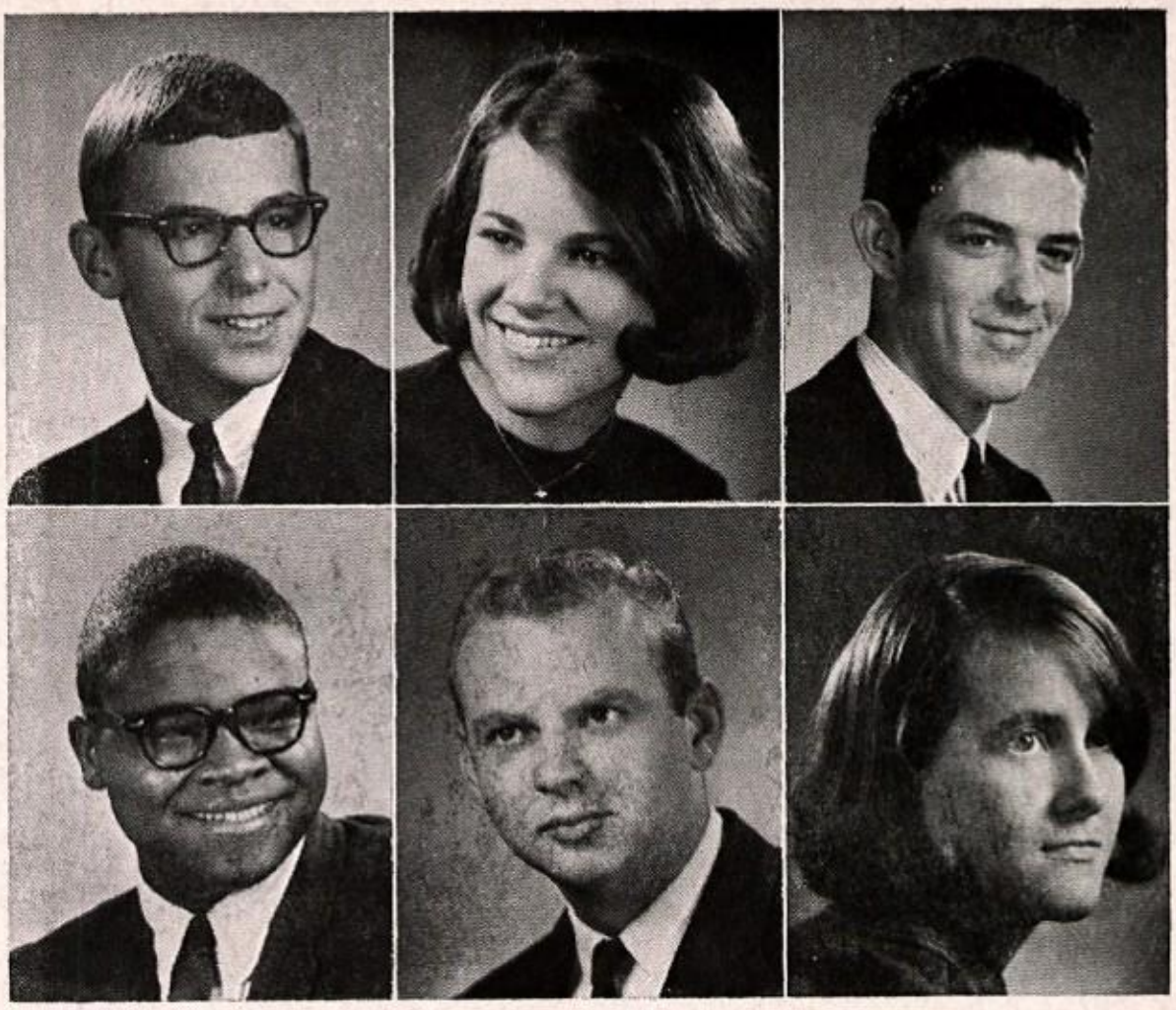
ROBERT P. HAYDEN
Hi-Y, Intramurals, Optimist, Prom, Track

LINDA HAYES
FSA, GAA.

RICHARD HAYES
Hi-Y, Intramurals, Mixed Choir, Mixed Chorus, NHS, "New Moon," Optimist, Prom, Sp NHS, Student Council, Swimming.

CAROLYN HECKARD
Art Club, FTA, JCL, JCOWA, "Kind Lady," NHS, Optimist, Prom, Y-Teens, Y-Teen Cabinet.

GARRY HELD

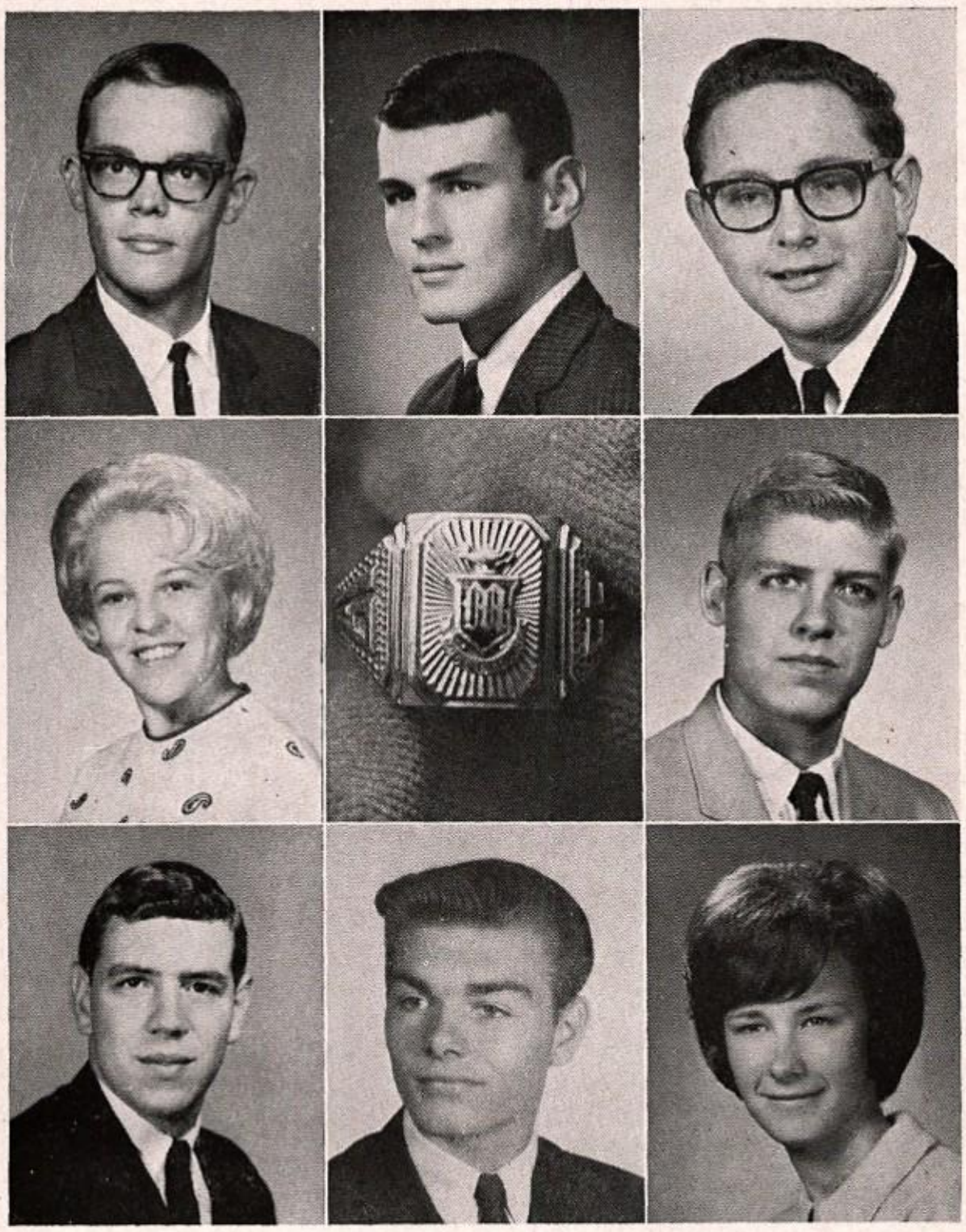


HAROLD HENDERSON, JR.
DECA, Hi-Y, JA.

THOMAS HENDERSON
DECA, Intramurals, JA.

MARY EDITH HENSLEY

each class has its own, its goals are now clear.



DAN HENSON

JAMES EDWARD HERR
Golf, Hi-Y, JCL, NHS, Optimist, Prom.

JOSEPH HESTER

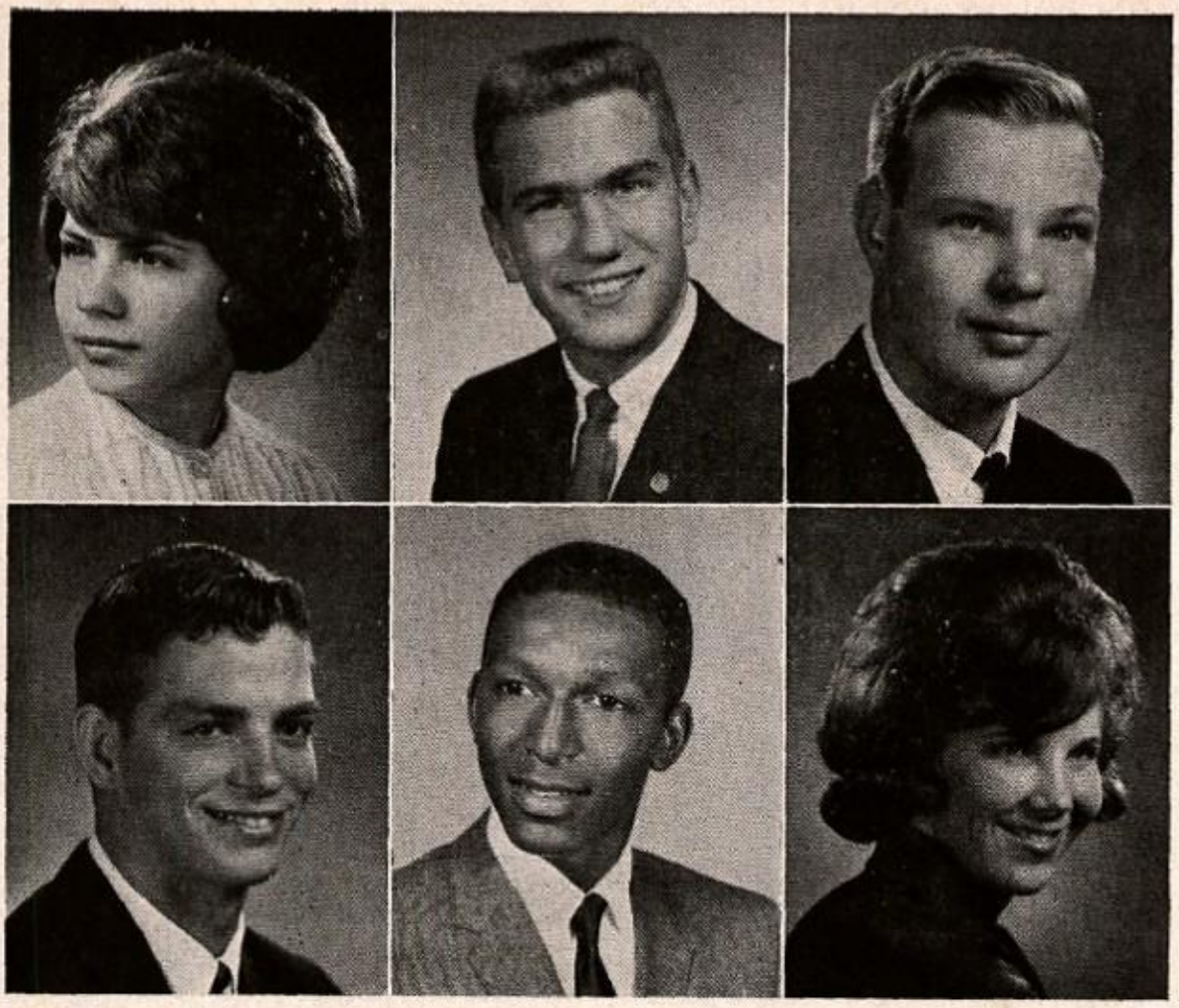
THEA GAIL HIGGINS

VERNON R. HIGHLEY
Basketball, Hi-Y, Intramurals, JCL.

ED HITESHUE
Baseball, Football, Hi-Y, Student Council, Wrestling.

DON HOFFER
Intramurals.

GAIL HOFFMAN
GAA, Glee Club, Golf, JCL, Mixed Chorus, Prom, Sr HR Rep.



DE ANN HOLLENBAUGH
Y-Teens.

KEITH HOLLINGSWORTH

CARL V. HOVEL
Band, Intramurals, Orchestra.

CHARLES KENNETH HOWARD
Baseball, Football, Intramurals, Prom.

CLEM SCOTT HOWARD

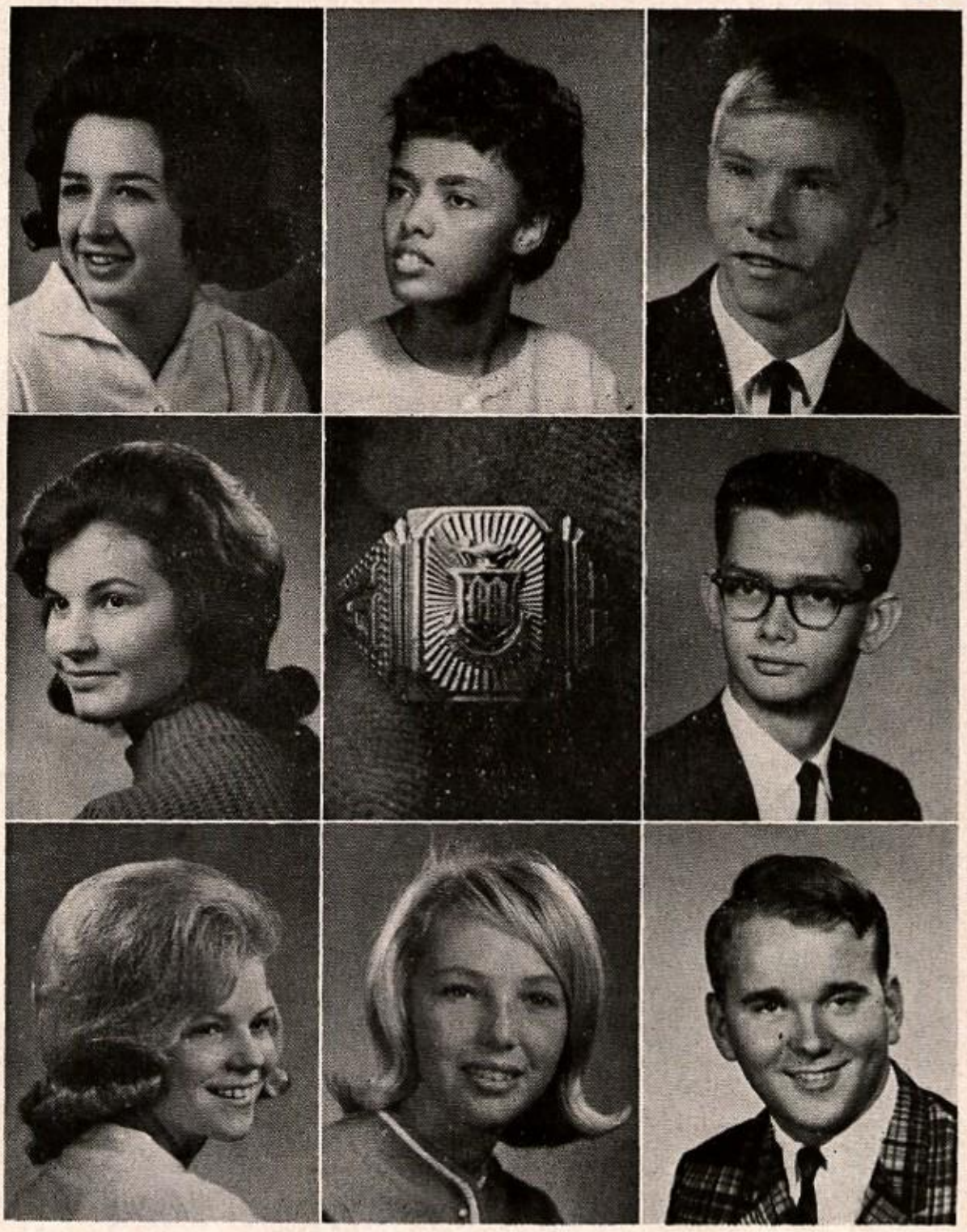
FRANCES HOWARD

We rehearsed "H.M.S. Pinafore" for many hours long,

INA HOWARD
Business Cadet Club, FSA, JA.

VICTORIA A. HOWARD
FSA, Glee Club, JA, Mixed Chorus.

DAVID MICHAEL HUBBARD



DIANA HUDSON
Glee Club, "HMS Pinafore," "King and I," Mixed Choir, "Our Town," Radio, Thespians.

JAMES EDWARD HUDSON

LINDA JO HUGHES
FSA, GAA, Y-Teens.

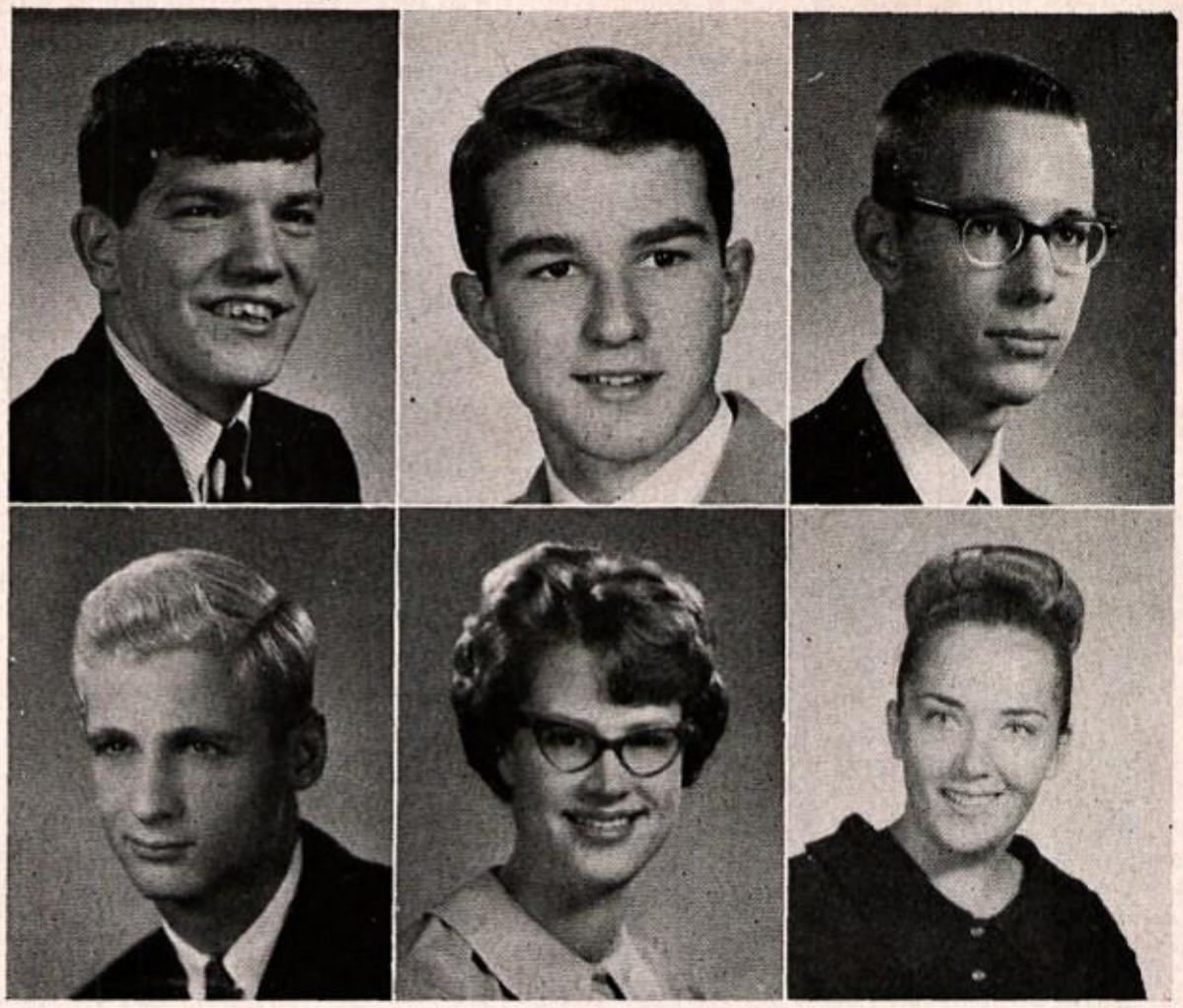
SAUNDRA LYNN HUGHES
FTA, GAA, Glee Club, JCL, Jr HR Rep, "Kind Lady," Middletonian, Mixed Choir, Mixed Chorus, Optimist, Prom, Y-Teens.

JOHN A. HUMSTON
Football, Intramurals, Track.

DANIEL I. HUNTER
Intramurals.

GEORGE HUTCHINSON
Hi-Y, Jr HR Rep, Optimist, Prom, Swimming.

DON W. IMHOFF, JR.
Cross Country, Intramurals, NHS, Orchestra, Track.



JEFFREY J. IRELAND
Hi-Y, JCOWA, Middletonian, NHS, "Our Town," Optimist.

MARILYN KAY JACOBS
FTA, GAA, GAA Board, German Club, JCOWA, Middiettes, NHS, Nightingale, Y-Teens.

BILLIE JEWELL
FSA, Y-Teens.

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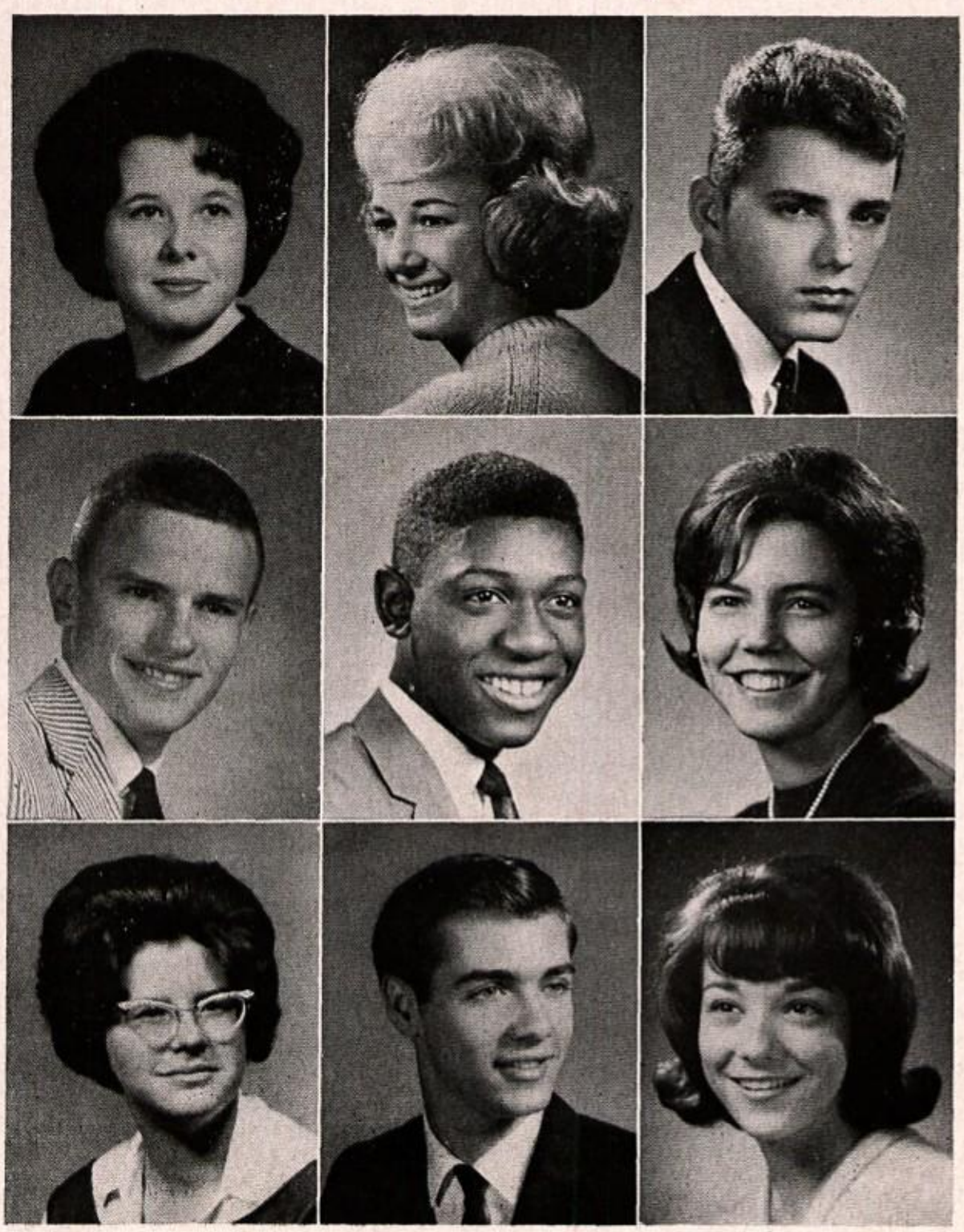


JENNIFER EULAINE JOHNSON
Glee Club, Y-Teens.

JOAN ELAINE KEMPLIN JOHNSON
FSA, Y-Teens.

CURTIS JOHNSON
Mixed Choir, Mixed Chorus.

MIKE JOHNSON
AFS, Cross Country, Hi-Y, Intramurals, JCL, JCOWA, Jr HR Rep, NHS, NLHS, Optimist, Prom, Sp NHS, Swimming, Track, Wrestling.

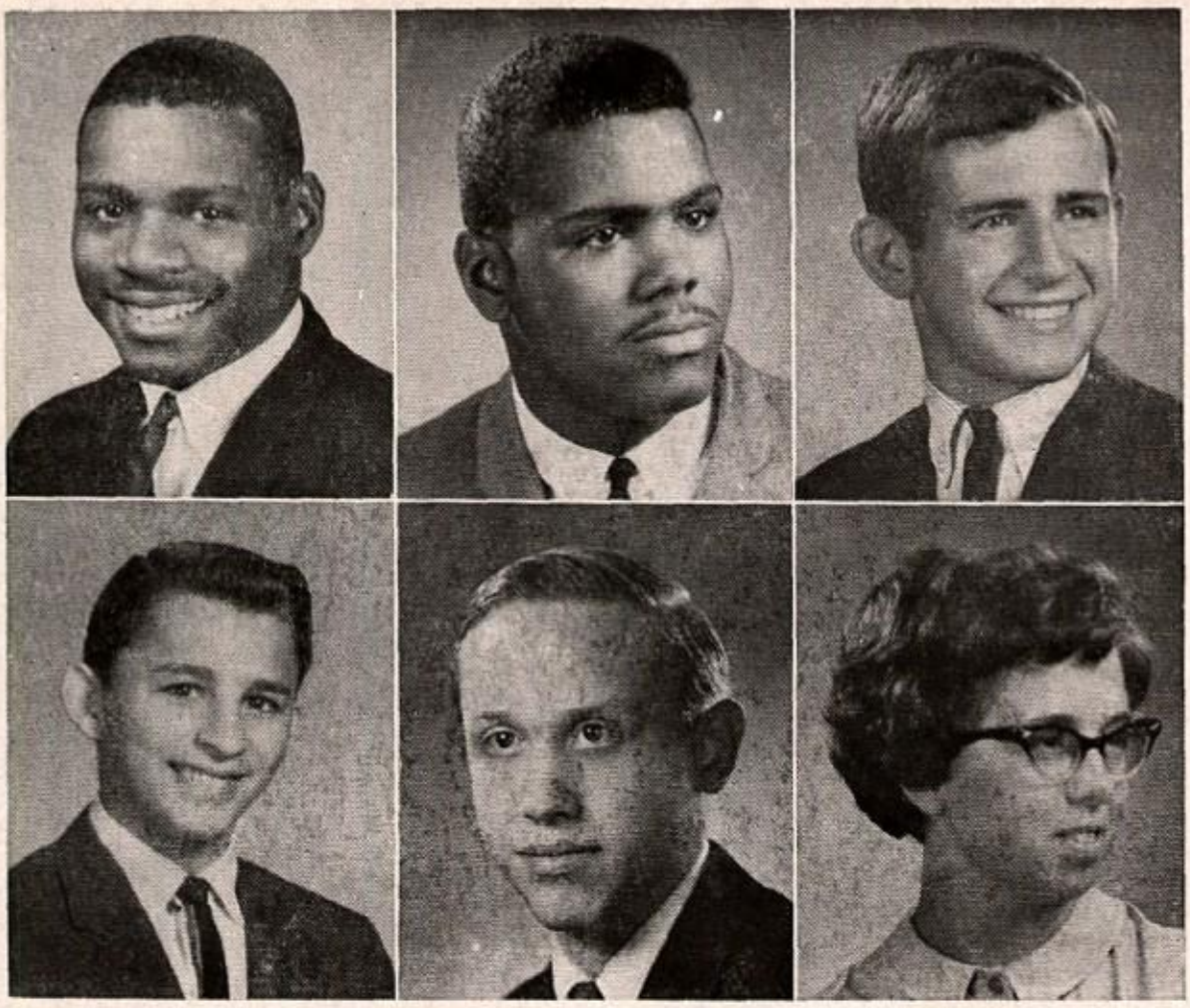
ROBERT L. JOHNSON
DECA, Intramurals.

SHARON JOHNSON
GAA, GAA Board, Glee Club, "HMS Pinafore," JCOWA, "King and I," M Club, Middiettes, Middletonian, Mixed Choir, Mixed Chorus, NHS, Optimist, Prom, Sp NHS, Y-Teens.

KAREN L. JONES
Prom.

RANDALL LEE JONES

SHIRLEY JONES
FTA, GAA, Glee Club, Mixed Chorus, Sr HR Rep.



WILLIAM JONES
Basketball, Football, Mixed Chorus, Track.

ROBERT MYRON JORDAN
Baseball, Football, Hi-Y, Intramurals, JA, Mixed Chorus, Track, Wrestling.

CHARLES KAHNE
Football, Hi-Y, JA, JCL.

PETER C. KARLOUTSOS
DECA, Intramurals, Jr HR Rep.

GEORGE KAUFFMAN

MARILYN KEISTER
Band, Chess Club, GAA, GAA Board, M Club, Middiettes, NHS, Optimist, Orchestra.

The Choir and Triple Trio sang cheerful strains,

GARRY KENDRICK
DECA, Glee Club, Mixed Choir.

JANET LEE KESSELRING
Band, Band Council, FTA, GAA, GAA Board, Girls' State, Jr HR Rep, "Lily, the Felon's Daughter," NFL, NHS, "Our Town," Sr HR Rep, Thespians, YCC.

IAN FREDERICK KEUTHAN
"Bad Seed," Band, Band Council, "Cheaper by the Dozen," "HMS Pinafore," "Kind Lady," "King and I," "Lily, the Felon's Daughter," "New Moon," Orchestra, "Our Town," Tennis.

MONDA KIBRIGE
Band, Band Council, Chess Club, GAA, JCL, JCOWA, M Club, Nightingale, Optimist, Orchestra.

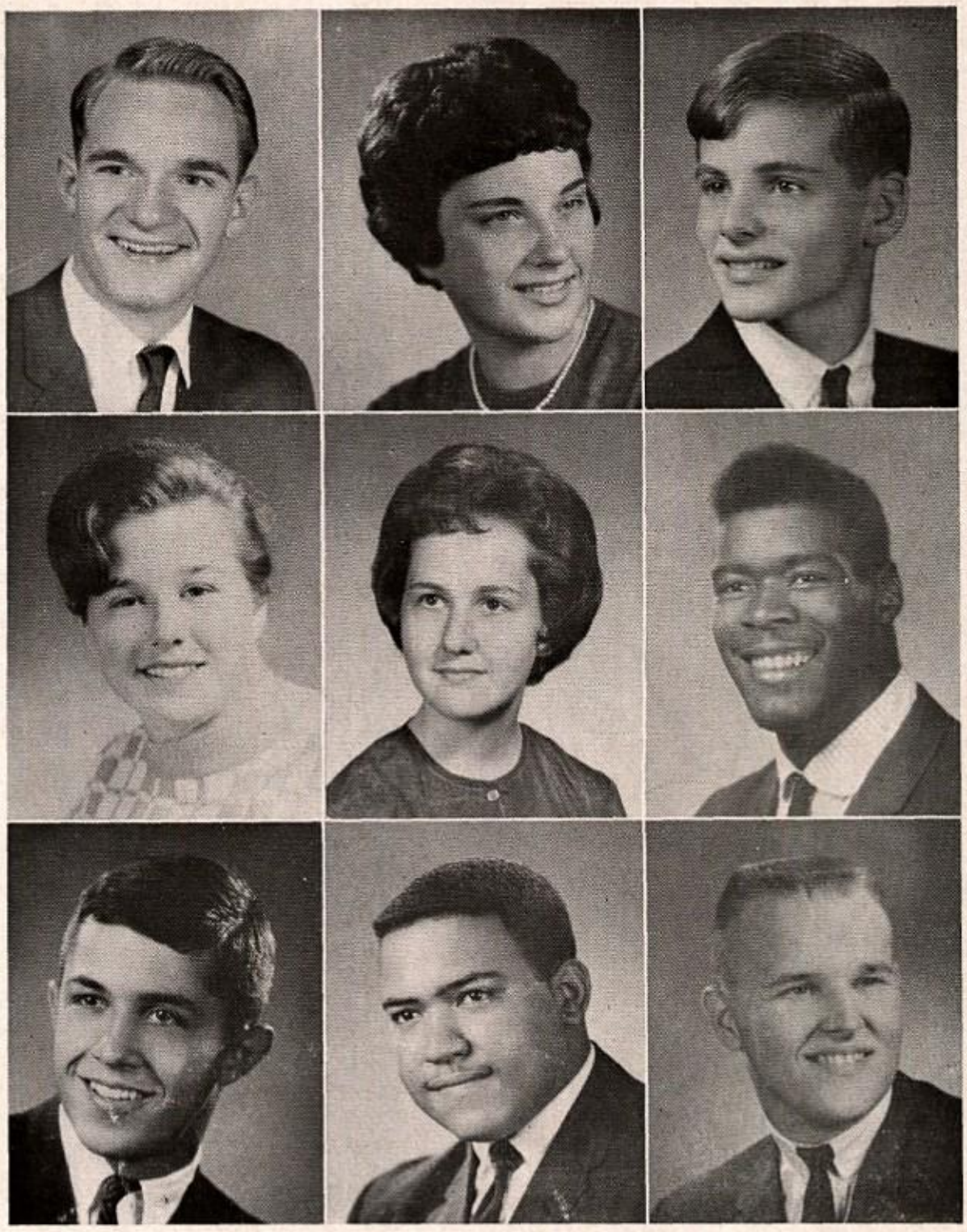
SANDRA CAROL KILBURN
Business Cadet Club, FSA, GAA, M Club, Middiettes, NHS.

LAWRENCE CURTIS KINDRED
Basketball, Football, Track.

THOMAS C. KINIYALOCTS
Football, Hi-Y, Track.

BOBBY KINNEY
Hi-Y, Hi-Y Council, JA.

HENNY KLAASSEN VAN OORSCHOT
"Bad Seed," Band, Band Council, "Cheaper by the Dozen," Hi-Y, "HMS Pinafore," Intramurals, JA, "Kind Lady," "King and I," "Lily, the Felon's Daughter," "New Moon," Orchestra, "Our Town," Track, Wrestling, YCC.



CAROL SUE KLAMO
"Bad Seed," Band, "Cheaper by the Dozen," FTA, GAA, Glee Club, "Kind Lady," Mixed Chorus, "New Moon," Nightingale, Orchestra, "Our Town," Y-Teens.

BECKY KLING
"Cheaper by the Dozen," FTA, GAA, "Kind Lady," "New Moon," Prom.

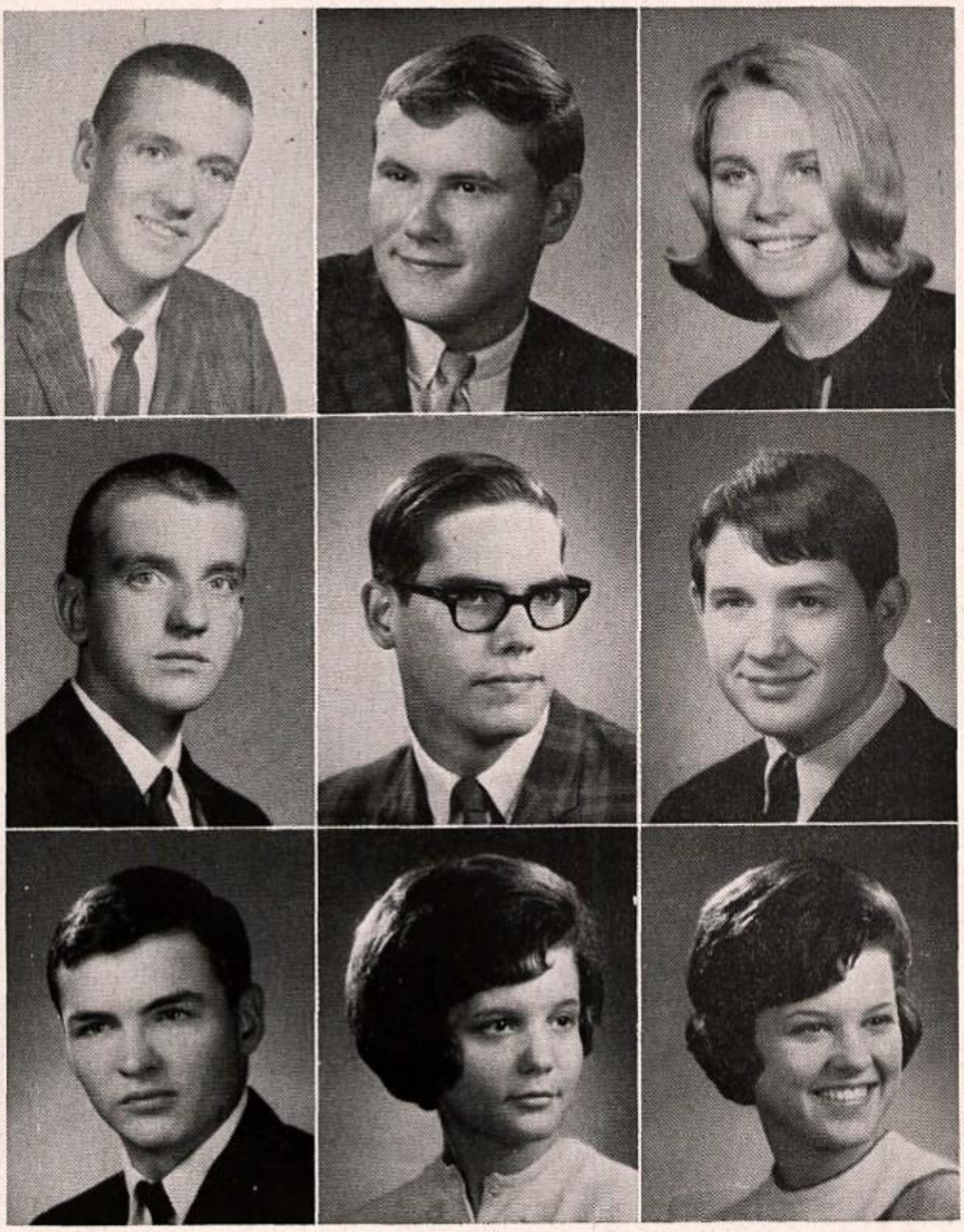
LINDA KNIGHT
GAA, JA.

DAVID G. KREBS
DECA, Hi-Y, Student Council.

MIKE LAMB
"Bad Seed," Boys' State, "Cheaper by the Dozen," Debate, Golf, Hi-Y, "HMS Pinafore," JCOWA, "Kind Lady," "King and I," "Lily, the Felon's Daughter," Middletonian, NFL, NHS, "New Moon," Optimist, "Our Town," Radio, Sr HR Rep, Thespians, YCC.

EDWARD FORREST LAMPLEY
Basketball, Football, Track.

while the Band and Orchestra played the refrains.



WILLIAM H. LAND

CHARLES A. LANSDALE
Football, JA, Jr HR Rep, Wrestling.

SHERRINE JUNE LAPIERRE
JCL, Y-Teens.

JOHN M. LAWSON
JA.

MICHAEL E. LAWSON
"Bad Seed," Band, "Cheaper by the Dozen," "Kind Lady," "King and I," "New Moon," Orchestra, "Our Town".

TERRY LAWSON
Mixed Chorus.

ROBERT J. LEACH

CAROLYN LOUISE LEDFORD
FSA, GAA, Glee Club, Y-Teens.

MARILYN LEDFORD
FSA, Nightingale, Prom, Y-Teens.

WILLIAM H. LEDFORD
Band, Band Council, Hi-Y, Hi-Y Council, Intramurals, Prom, Tennis.

CONNIE JO LEE
FTA, GAA, Glee Club, Prom, Swanettes, Y-Teens.

SANDRA KAY LEE

RONALD A. LEGER
Hi-Y, Intramurals, Jr HR Rep, NLHS, Optimist, Prom, Sr HR Rep, Track, White and Purple Magazine.

DAVID LEHMKUHL
Hi-Y, Intramurals.

ERIC A. LEICHTY
Band, Band Council, Hi-Y, Intramurals, NHS, Optimist, Prom.

Student Council worked hard in achieving its goal,

LAURA LEIGH
Cheerleader, FTA, GAA, JA, JCOWA, NHS, Optimist, "Our Town," Prom, Y-Teens, Y-Teen Cabinet.

SCOTT A. LEONARD
Intramurals, JA, NHS, Sp NHS.

DEBORAH ANN LETTS
"Bad Seed," "Cheaper by the Dozen," Debate, Girls' State, JCL, "Kind Lady," "King and I," Middletonian, NFL, NHS, Nightingale, Optimist, Prom, Radio, Swanettes, Thespians, Y-Teens.

KRISTI LYNN LEWIS
FTA, GAA, Glee Club, JCL, Mixed Choir, Mixed Chorus, Prom, Y-Teens.

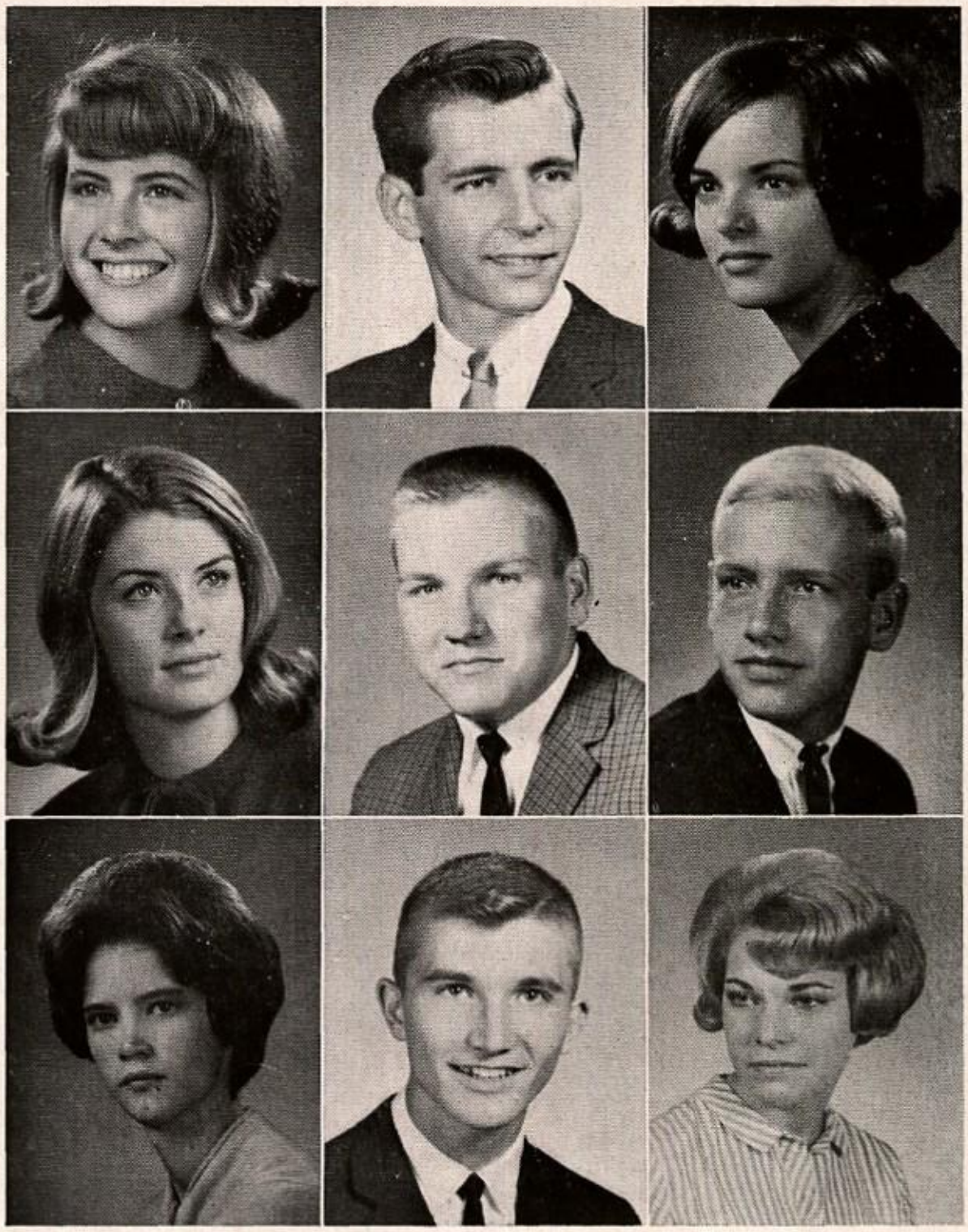
LARRY LEWIS
Baseball, Football.

STEVE LEWIS
Basketball Mgr, "Cheaper by the Dozen," Hi-Y, Intramurals, "Kind Lady," Optimist, Prom.

WILMA JEAN LICKLITER

ROBERT LILJESTRAND
Boys' State, JCL, NHS, Prom, Sr HR Rep, Student Council, White and Purple Magazine.

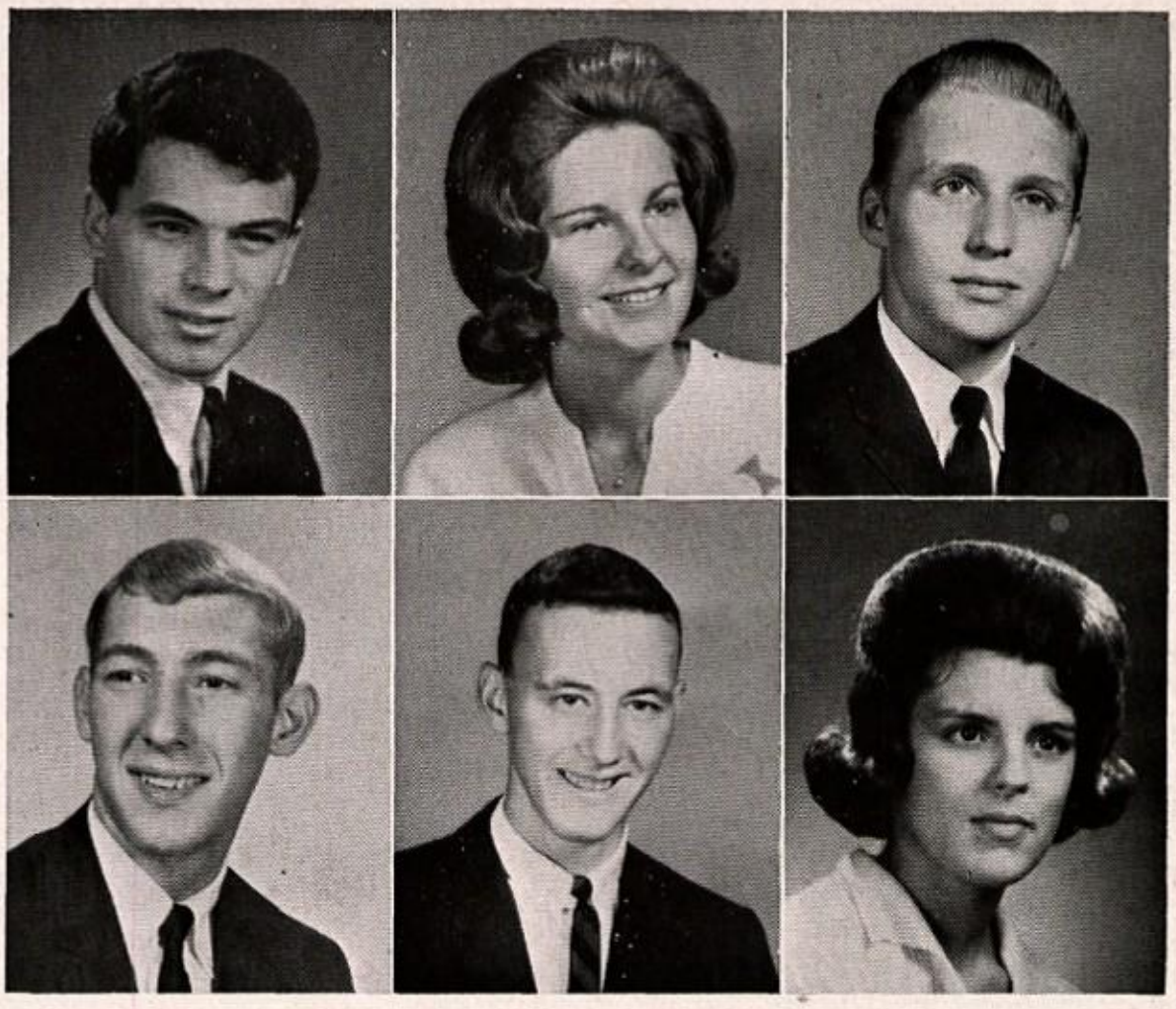
PATTY LINAMEN



GORDON LINDSAY
Hi-Y, Intramurals, Mixed Chorus, Track.

MELANIE GAIL LINDSAY
JA, JCOWA, Nightingale.

GARY LODWICK

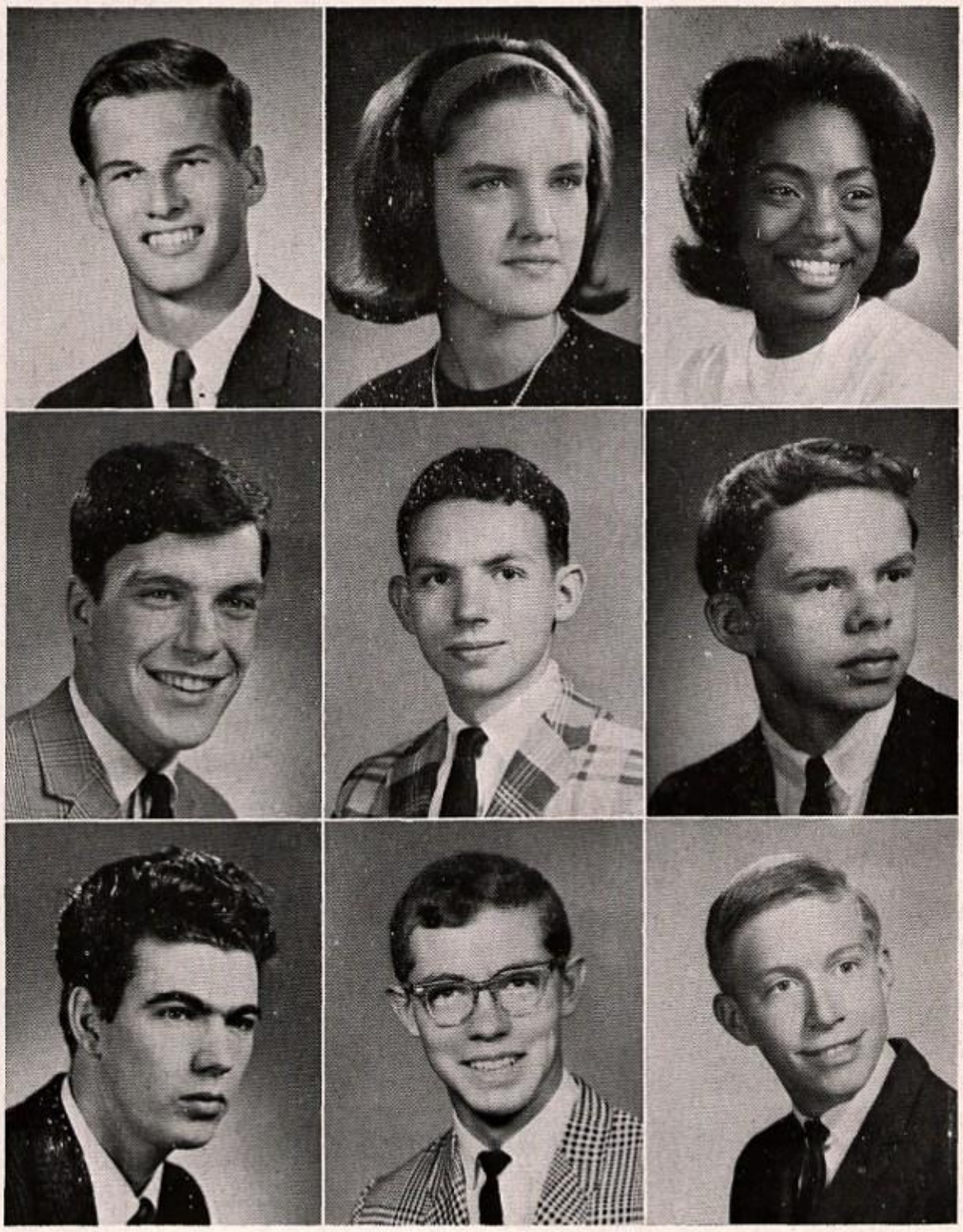


DENNIS LONGWORTH
Cross Country, Hi-Y, Intramurals, JA, Prom, Track, Wrestling.

RICK LOVELACE
Hi-Y, Tennis.

SHARYN SUE LUBBERGER
GAA, GAA Board, "Kind Lady," M Club, Middletonian, Nightingale, "Our Town," Thespians.

and proved its enthusiasm by the candy it sold.



JOSEPH DONALD LUIBEL
Band, Orchestra.

SUSAN K. LYONS
"Bad Seed," "Cheaper by the Dozen," FTA, GAA, "Kind Lady," Middletonian, "Our Town," Prom, YCC, Y-Teens.

BONNIE L. MACK
GAA, Glee Club, Mixed Chorus, Nightingale, Y-Teens.

J. T. MAHER
Hi-Y.

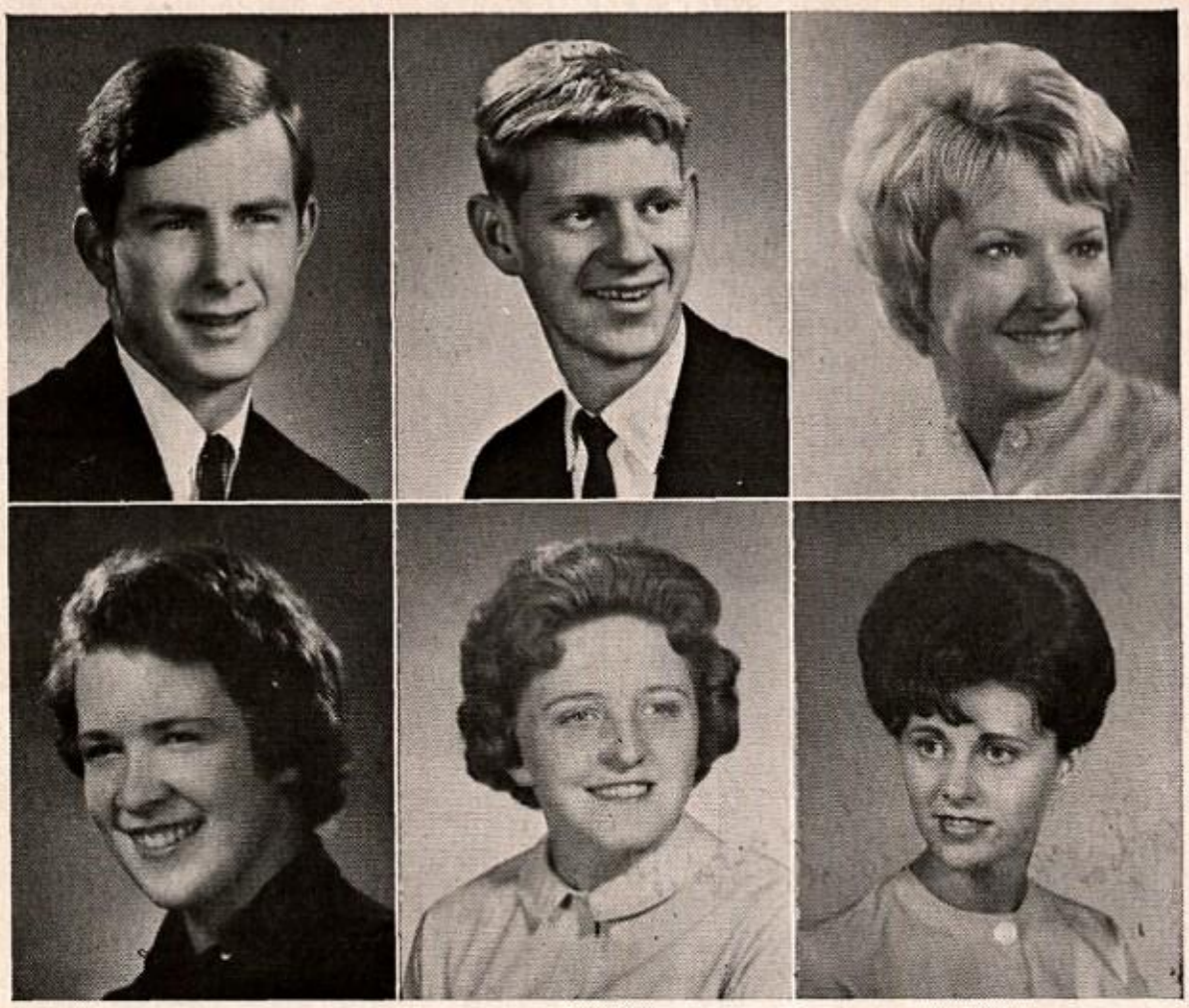
JOHN ROBERT MANNING

ROBERT MANNING
Wrestling.

RONALD MANNING

MICHAEL GEORGE MARKS
JA.

JOHN C. MARSHALL
JA, Sr HR Rep.



TOWNSELL MARSHALL
Hi-Y, "HMS Pinafore," JCOWA, "King and I," Mixed Choir, Mixed Chorus, "New Moon," Tennis.

LOUIE MARTIN

CAROLYN MAURER
FTA, GAA, Glee Club, Middletonian, Mixed Chorus, Nightingale, Sp NHS, Y-Teens.

BARBARA MAXWELL
FTA, "HMS Pinafore," JCL, NHS, Optimist, White and Purple Magazine, Y-Teens.

VICKI ANN MAXWELL
FSA, Y-Teens.

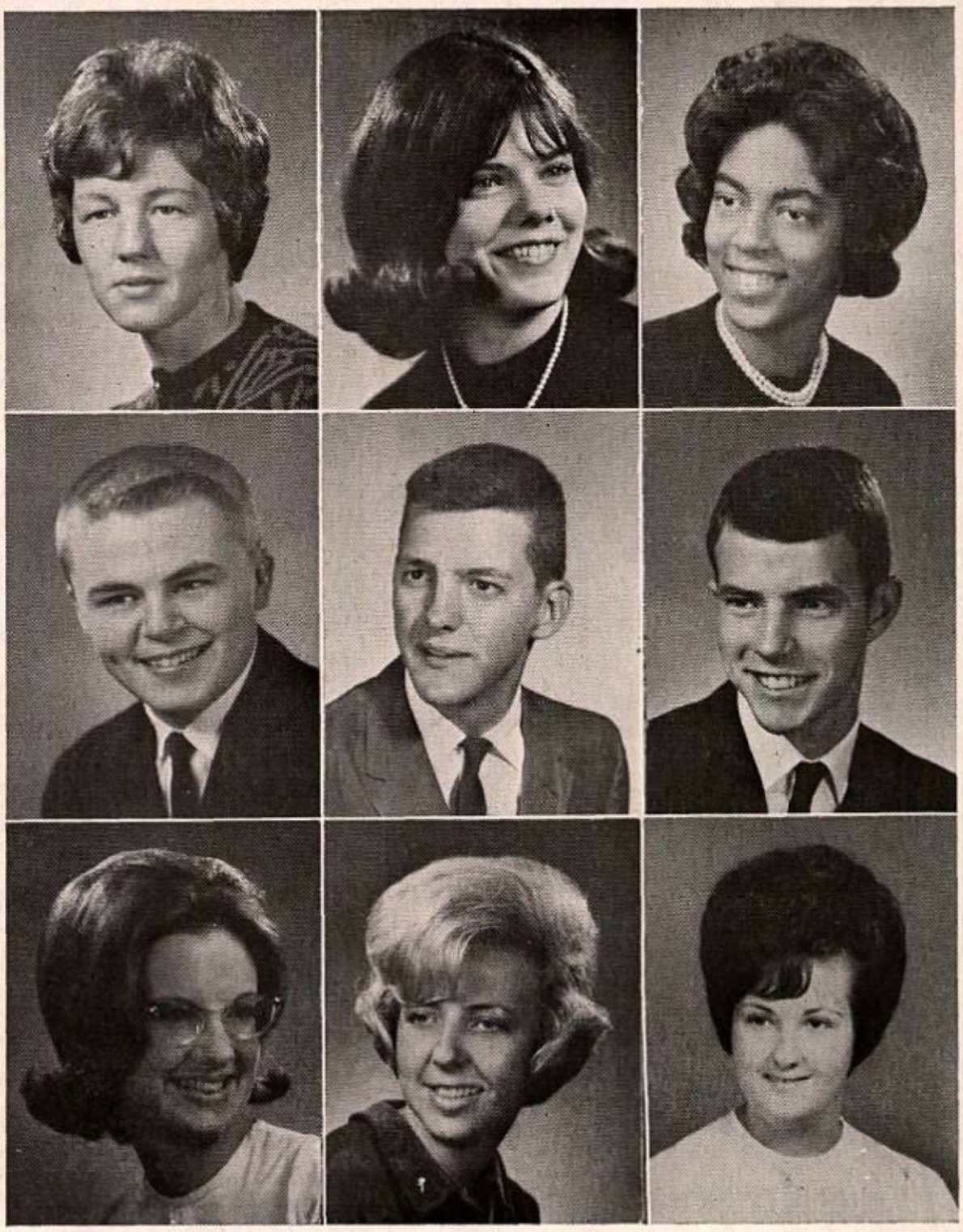
WANDA FERN MAY

Our cheerleaders inspired us with spirit supreme,

JO ANN MAYS

JANIS ANN McAFEE
"Bad Seed," GAA, Glee Club, "HMS Pinafore," Mixed Chorus, "Our Town," Y-Teens.

SHEROLYN GLEN McCALL
GAA, Glee Club, Middiettes, Mixed Chorus, Y-Teens.



JERRY J. McCANDLESS
Baseball Mgr, Basketball Mgr, Boys' State, Football, Hi-Y, Intramurals, JCL, Mixed Choir, Mixed Chorus, NHS, Optimist, Prom.

JEFFERY PAUL McCANE

TIMOTHY ROBERTS McCLURE
Football Mgr, Track Mgr.

LYNN MARIE McDANIEL
Business Cadet Club, FSA, Glee Club.

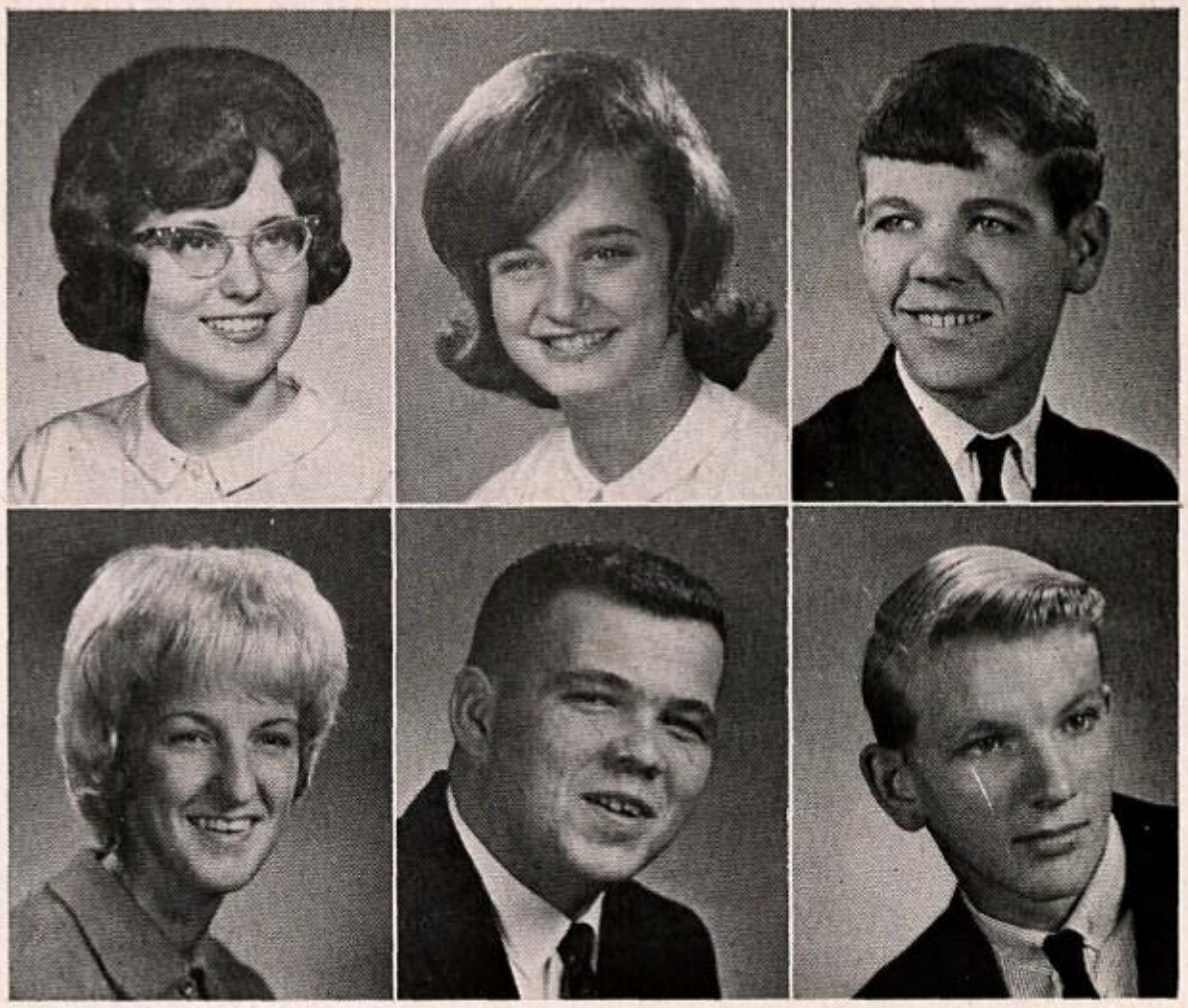
JUDITH DIANE McDOWELL
FTA, GAA, JCL, Middletonian, Nightingale, Prom, Y-Teens.

SANDRA MAE McGINNIS
FSA, GAA, JA.

LINDA KAY McGONIGLE
Chess Club, Glee Club.

BEVERLY J. McGUIRE
Glee Club.

JOHN McGUIRE
Intramurals.

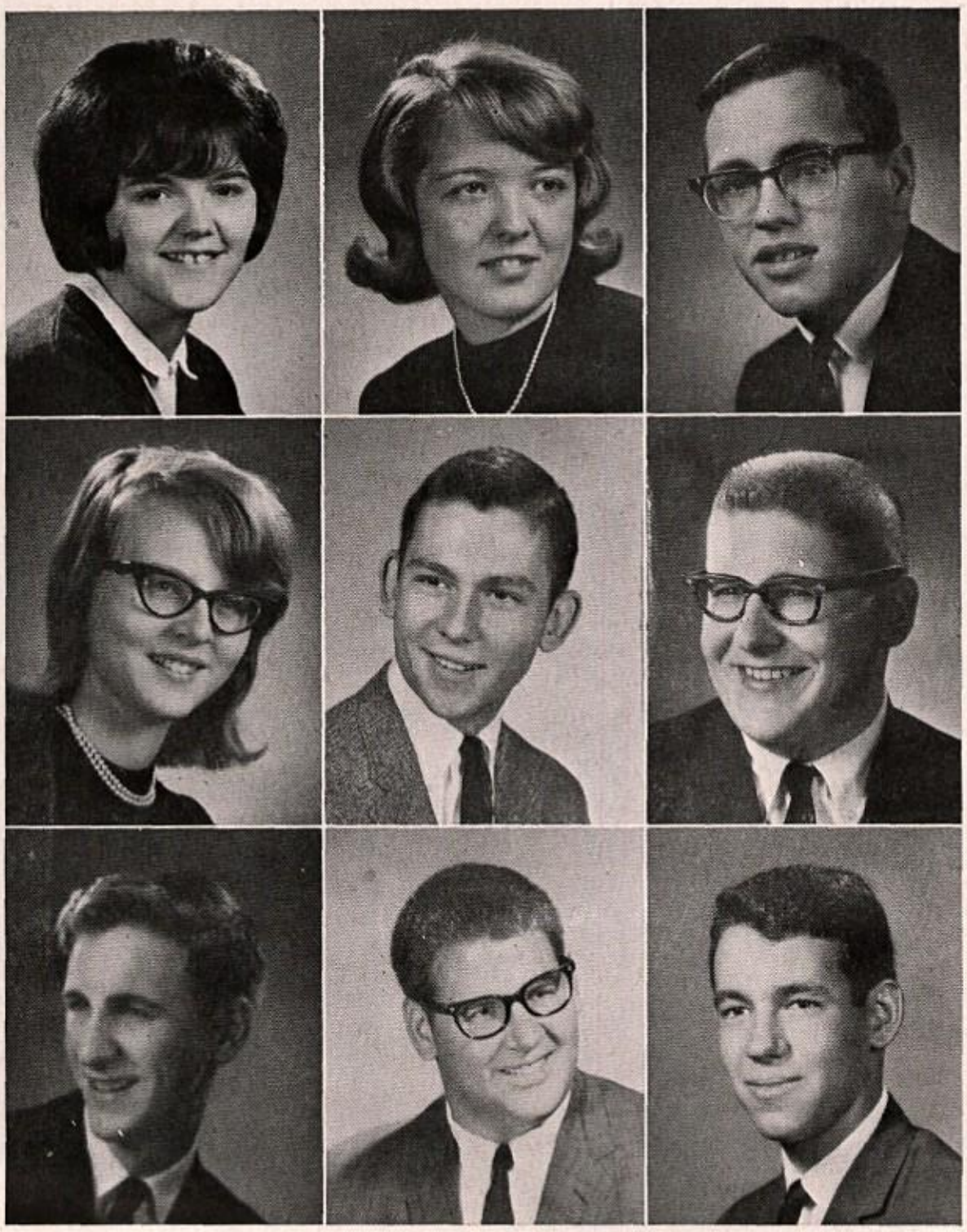


PATRICIA ELLEN McGUIRE
DECA.

WILLIAM McILVAIN
Intramurals.

PATRICK DOREN McKENZIE

and urged us to yell for each hard-working team.



SANDRA LEE McLEAN

PAMELA ANNE McNABB
FTA, GAA, GAA Board, JCL, JCOWA, M Club, NHS, NLHS, Nightingale, Optimist, Prom, Y-Teens.

JAMES E. McNEICE, JR.
JA, Wrestling.

JUDY ANN McQUINN
FSA.

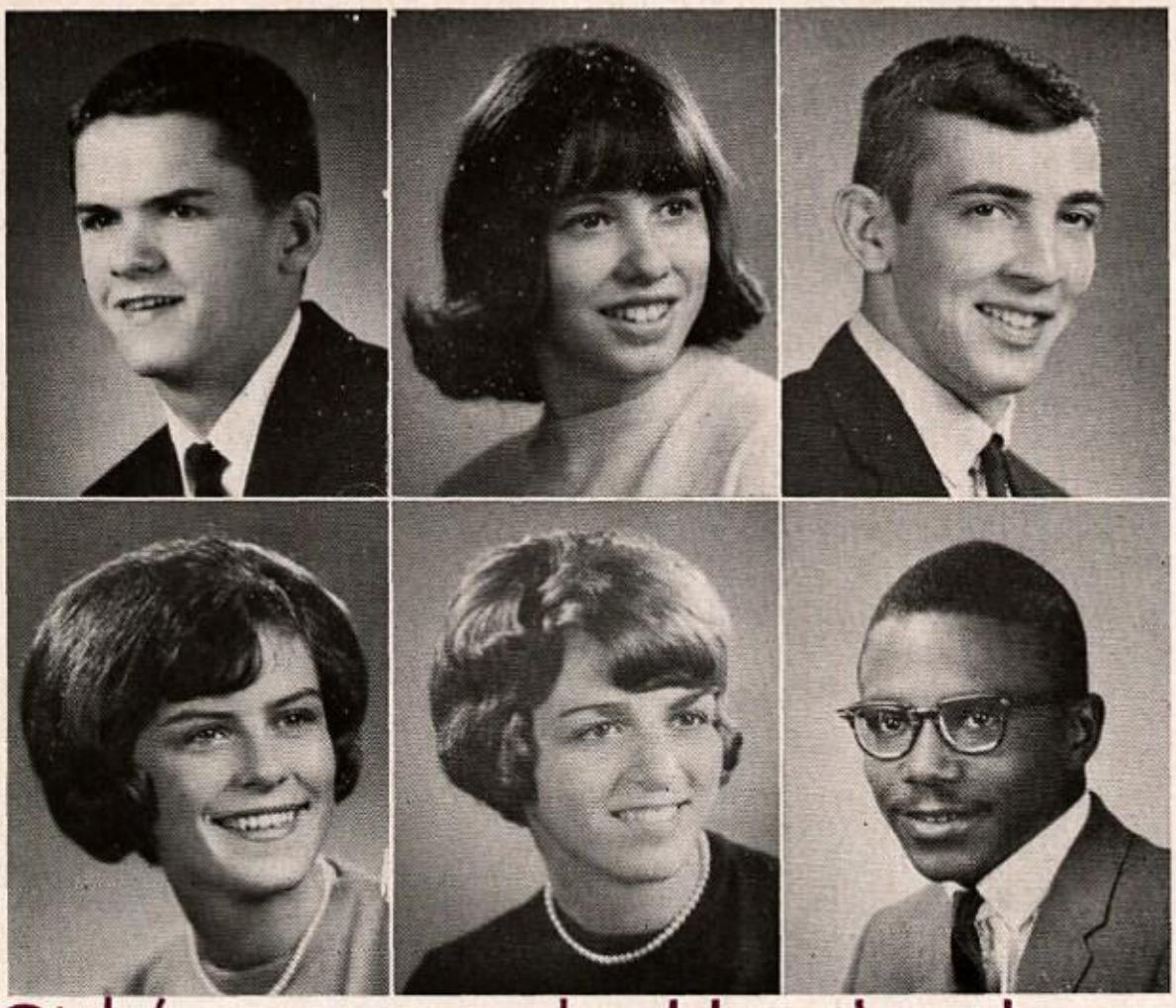
RONALD McQUINN

DAVID LEE McSWAIN

DANNY LEE McWHORTER
Mixed Chorus.

DAVID MEEHAN

KEN MEEHAN
Hi-Y, Intramurals.



RICHARD MEEKS

PATRICIA LEE MENDENHALL
FTA, GAA, Glee Club, JCL, Middiettes, Mixed Chorus, Y-Teens.

JIM MERRICK
Football, Hi-Y, Hi-Y Council, Intramurals, Mixed Choir, Mixed Chorus, NHS, "New Moon," Optimist, Prom, Sp NHS, Track.

CHERYL ANN MEYERS
GAA, Glee Club, Middletonian, Mixed Chorus, Prom, Y-Teens.

MARY GWENDOLYN MILLER
GAA, Glee Club, JA, JCOWA, M Club, Mixed Chorus, Nightingale, Prom.

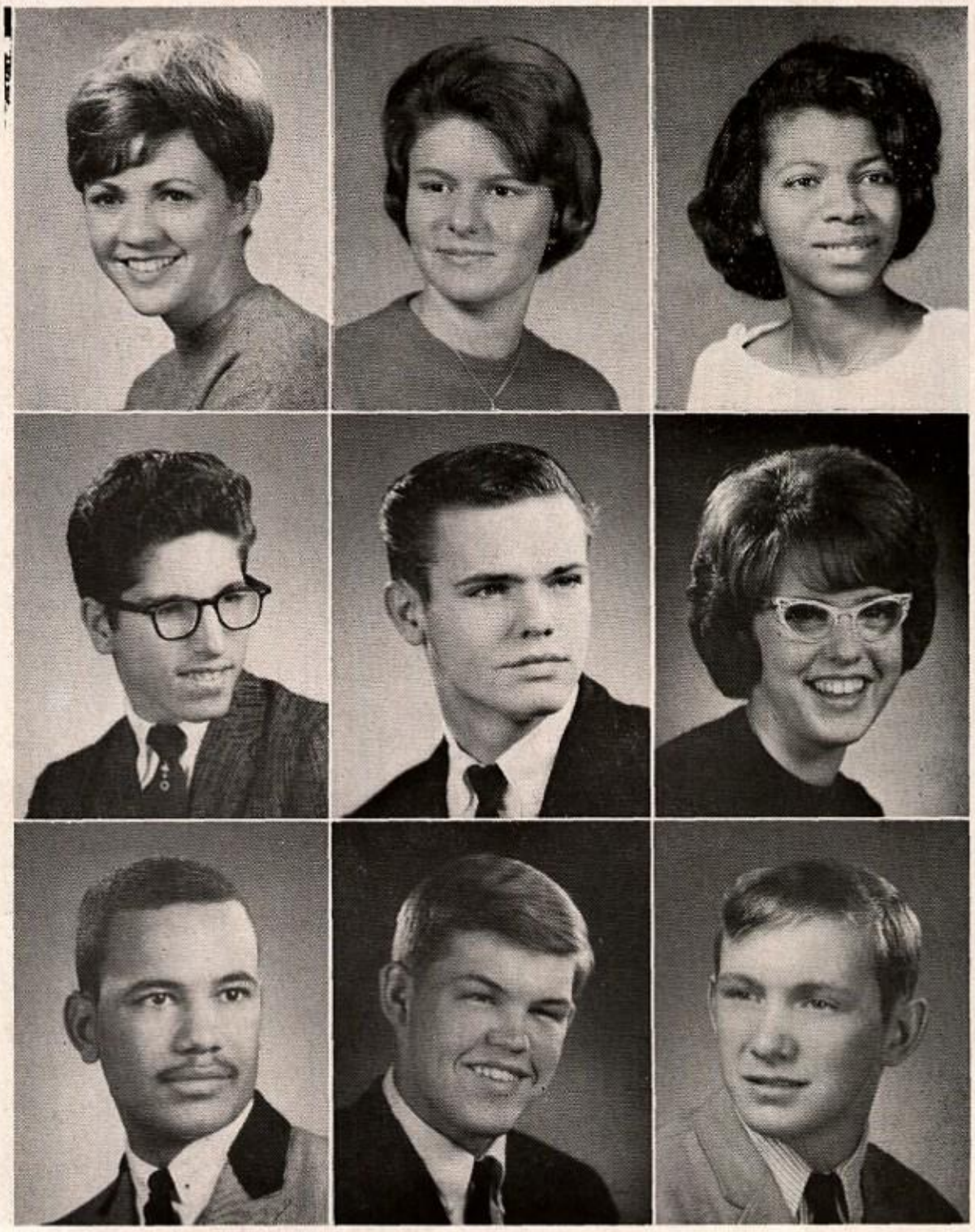
TERRY MILLION
Basketball, Football, Hi-Y, Track.

Girls' teams worked hard in the games they played,

JANET RAE MILTON
Band, GAA, JCL, JCOWA, "Our Town," Y-Teens.

BARBARA MINTER
"Bad Seed," FTA, GAA, "HMS Pinafore," "Kind Lady," "New Moon," Nightingale, "Our Town," Sp NHS, Thespians, YCC, Y-Teens.

BRENDA MITCHELL
Band, FTA, JA.



EDWARD MITCHEM
Cross Country.

ROBERT MOKRY

BEVERLIE MOON
FSA, FTA, GAA, GAA Board, "Kind Lady," Optimist, Prom, Sr HR Rep, White and Purple Magazine, Y-Teens.

KENNY MOORE
Football, Hi-Y, Intramurals, JA.

MARK R. MOORE
Chess Club, Football, Hi-Y, Intramurals, Jr HR Rep, Track.

RONALD E. MOORE
Football Mgr, Hi-Y, Mixed Choir, Optimist, Swimming, Track Mgr.

SUZANNE MOORE
FSA, GAA.

MIKE MORRISON
Chess Club, Hi-Y.

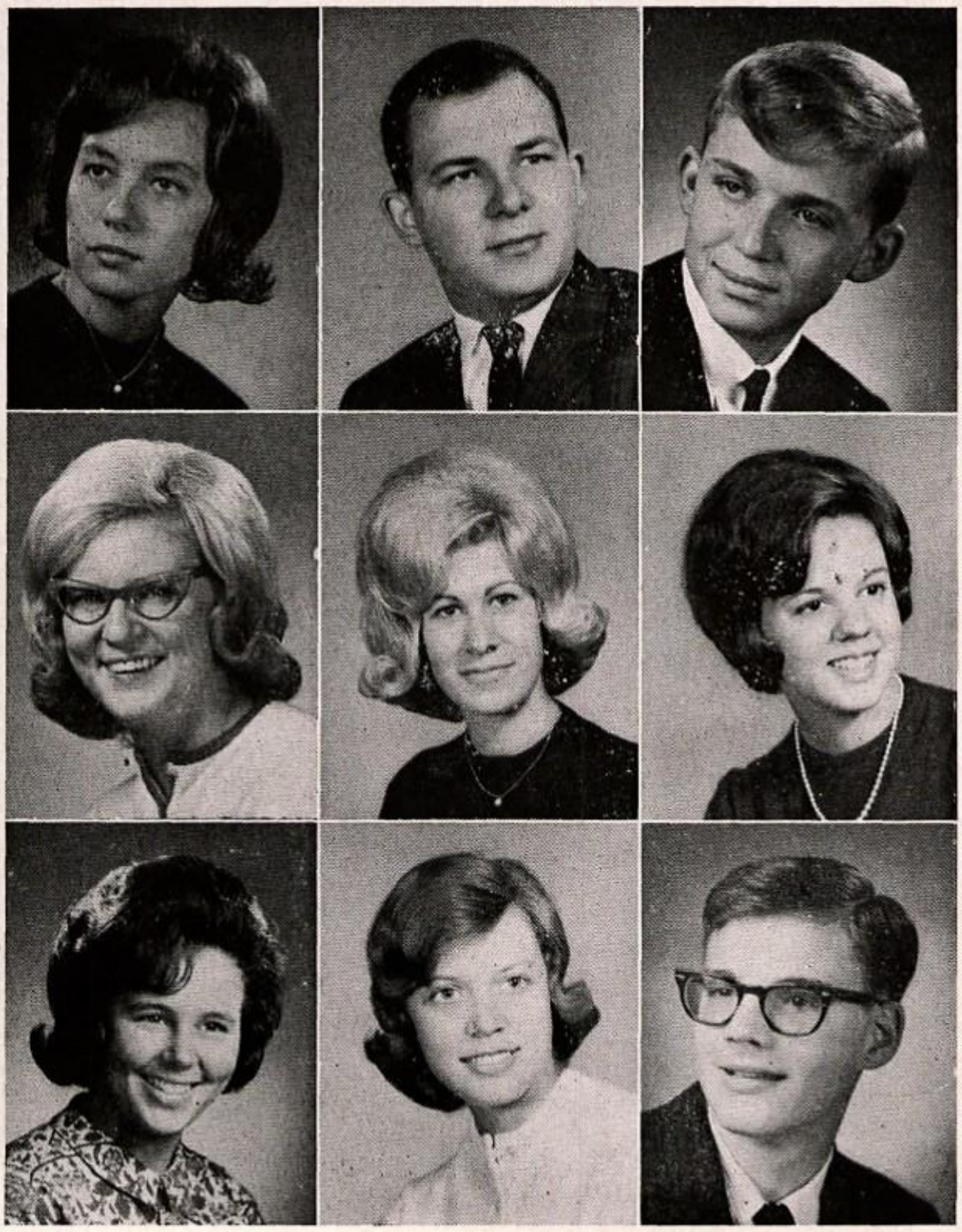
JUDY MULLINS
"Cheaper by the Dozen," FTA, GAA, Glee Club, Jr HR Rep, "Kind Lady," M Club, Middletonian, Mixed Chorus, Optimist, "Our Town," Prom, Y-Teens.

TERRY L. MUTERSPAW
Intramurals, Track, Wrestling.

DARLENE MYERS
Glee Club, JA, Y-Teens.

DAVE MYNHIER

and found glory and pleasure in the school's G. A. A.



BARBARA JEAN NAPIER
FTA, GAA, GAA Board, JCL, JCOWA, Jr HR Rep, "Lily, the Felon's Daughter," M Club, Middiettes, "Our Town," Prom, Thespians, Y-Teens.

BILL NEFF

RICK NEIN
Band, Band Council, Hi-Y, Optimist, Prom, Tennis.

RUBY NELSON
DECA, JA, Y-Teens.

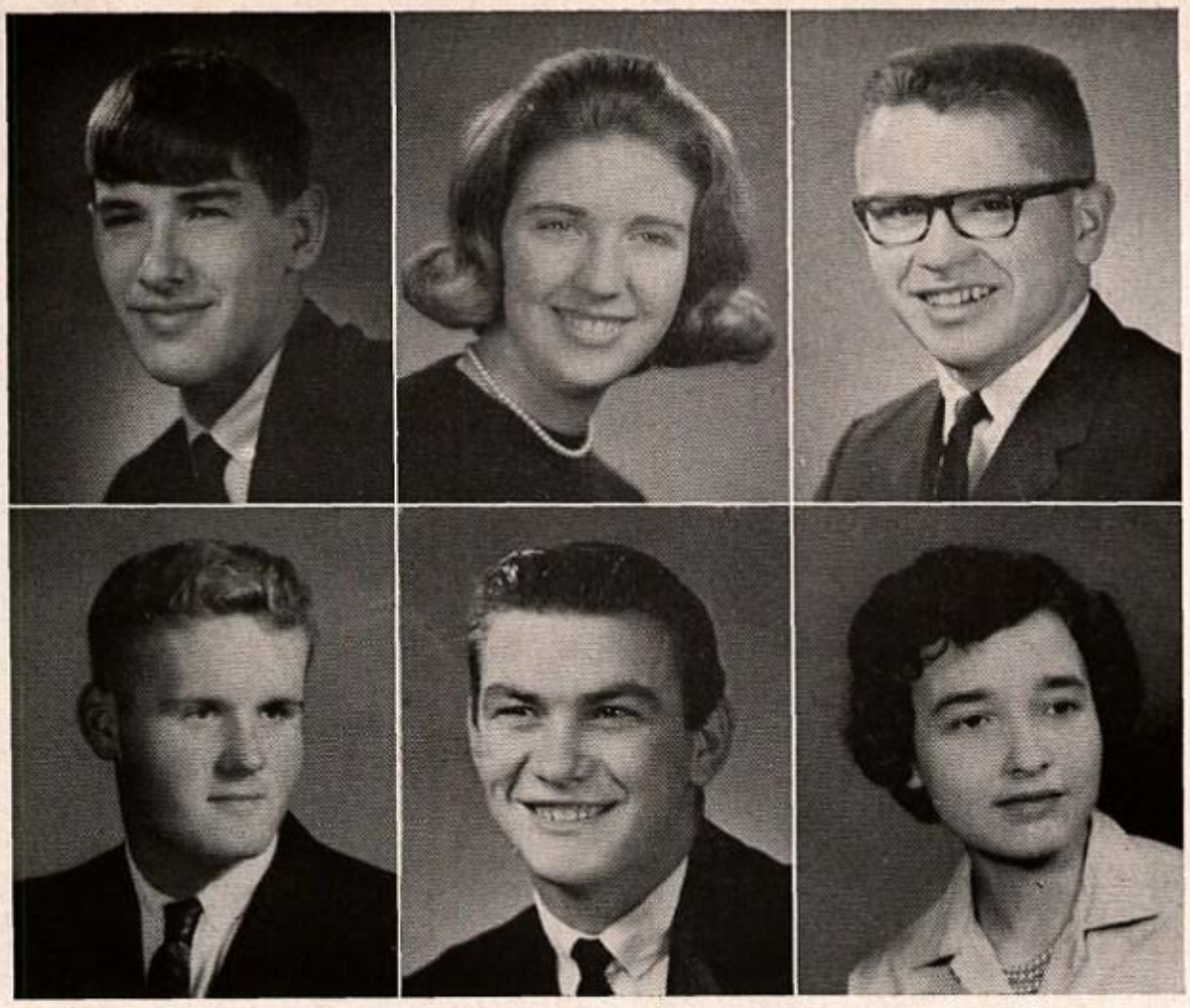
BETTY JUNE NETHERLY
Business Cadet Club.

HOPE LUCILLE NEUENSWANDER
FTA, JCOWA, "Kind Lady," Middletonian, NHS, "New Moon," Nightingale, Optimist, Y-Teens.

BARBARA NEUMAN
"Bad Seed," FSA, JA, "Our Town."

BILLIE RUTH NEWCOMB
Business Cadet Club, FSA, Glee Club, "King and I," Mixed Choir, Mixed Chorus, Optimist, Triple Trio, Y-Teens.

GARY NICHOLS
Chess Club, Debate, Hi-Y, JCOWA.



DOUGLAS NICKELL

JANET D. NOBLE
GAA, M Club.

STEVEN NOLAN
Band, Orchestra.

CHARLES RAY O'CONNOR

MITCHELL OLIGEE
Band.

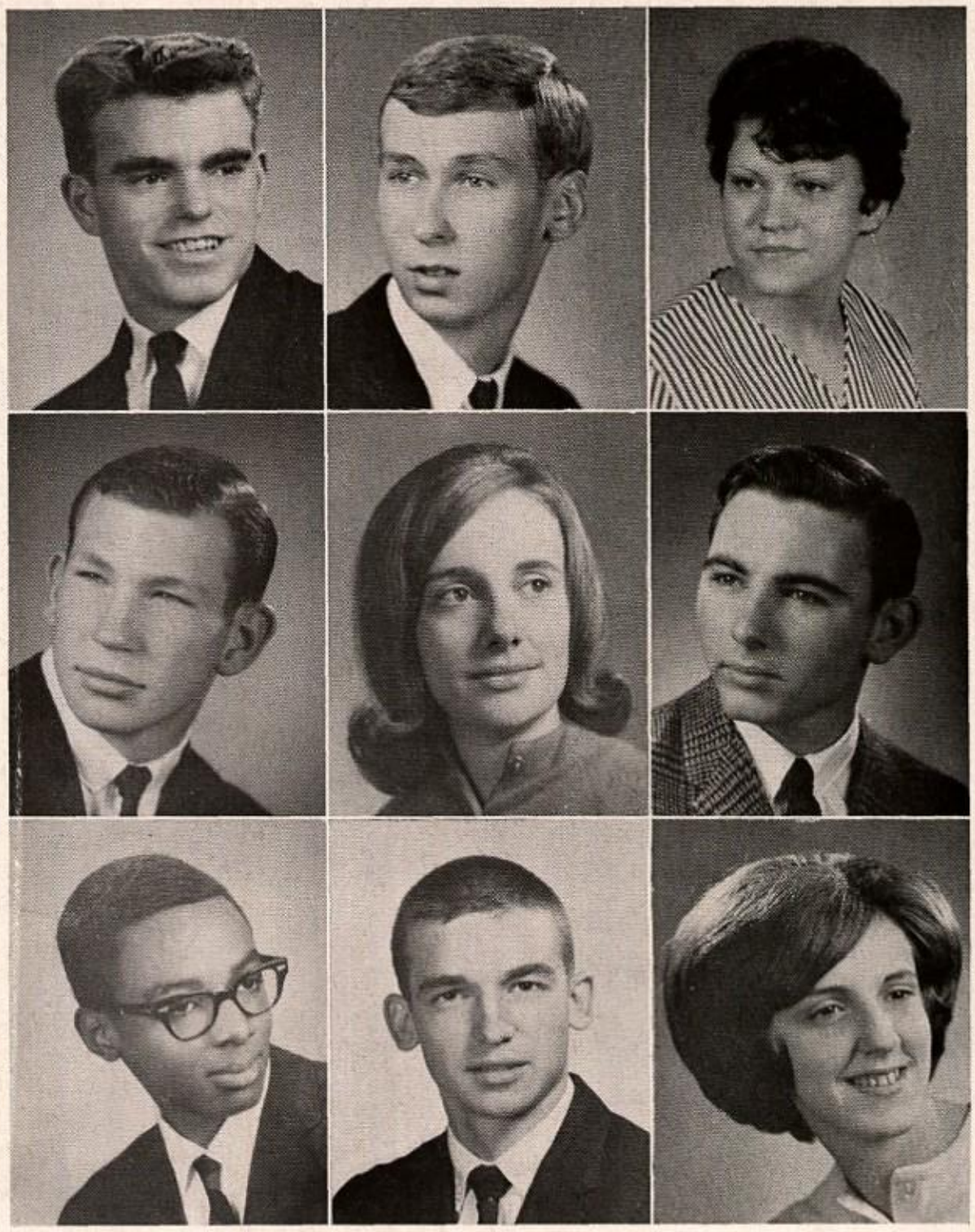
VICKY LYNN OLINGER
GAA, Glee Club, JCOWA, M Club, Mixed Chorus, Nightingale, Sr HR Rep.

Our spirit increased as this great year progressed;

WAYNE OLINGER
Intramurals, Track.

DALE OLIVER
Hi-Y, Intramurals, Prom.

JANIS O'NEILL



DAVID A. ORTMAN
Football, Hi-Y, JCOWA, NHS, Prom, Student Council, Track, Wrestling.

CANDUS L. OVERTURF
"Bad Seed," "Cheaper by the Dozen," FSA, Glee Club, "HMS Pinafore," JA, JCOWA, Jr HR Rep, "Kind Lady," "King and I," Mixed Chorus, "New Moon," "Our Town," Prom, Radio, Thespians.

LESTER OWENS

CLARENCE EUGENE PAGE
"Bad Seed," Boys' State, Debate, Hi-Y, "HMS Pinafore," JCOWA, "King and I," "Lily, the Felon's Daughter," Middletonian, NFL, NHS, Optimist, "Our Town," Prom, Quill and Scroll, Thespians.

MIKE PALMER
Band, Band Council, Baseball, Hi-Y, JCL.

VIRGINIA IRENE PALMER
Glee Club, JA, Mixed Chorus, Y-Teens.

MARY JO PALMORE
JA, GAA, Glee Club, Mixed Chorus, M Club, Prom.

AGAMEMNON GUS PANTEL
Band, Band Council, Hi-Y, Orchestra.

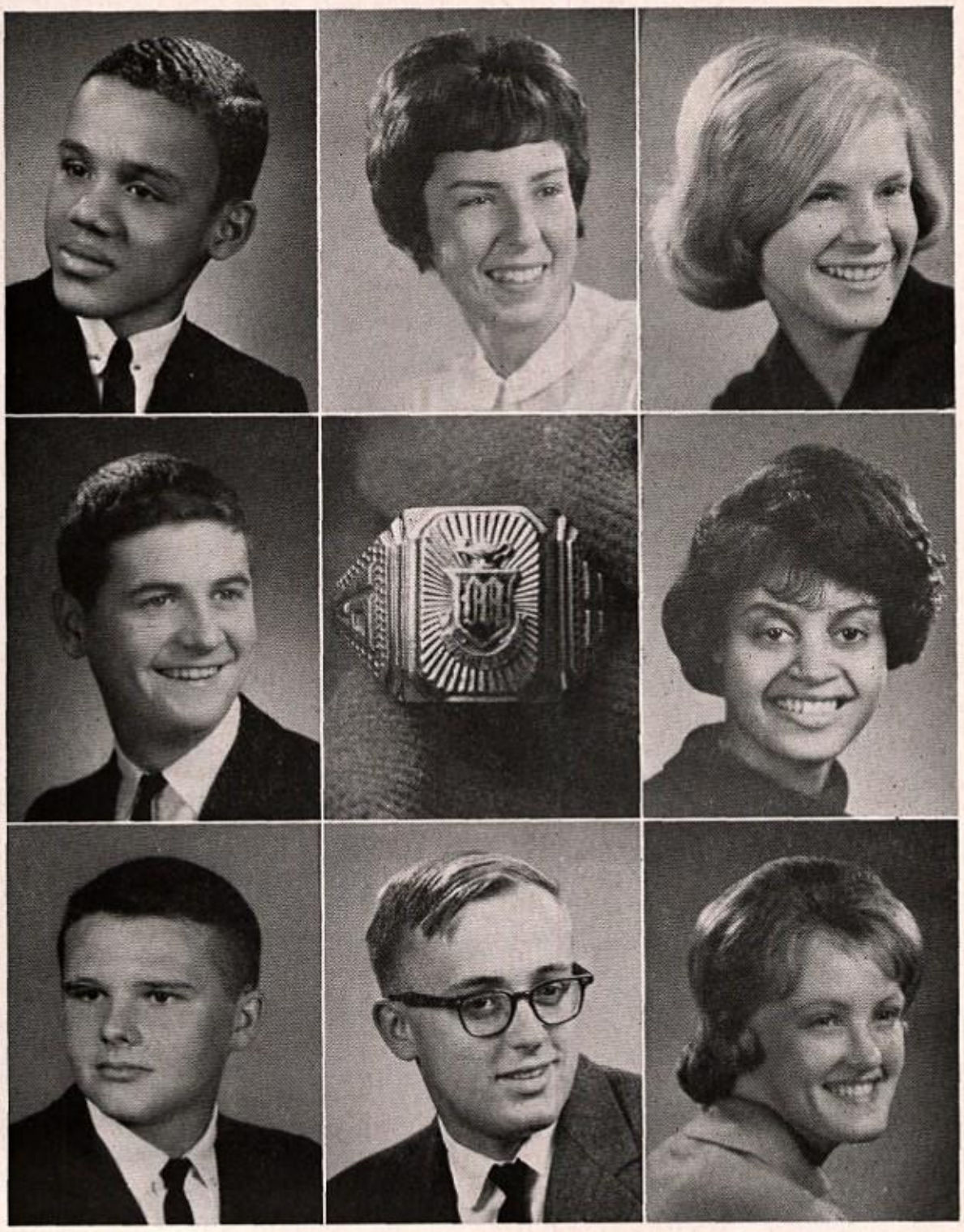
JAMES PANZL
JCL, Wrestling.

THEODORE JAMES PARRELLA
Cross Country Mgr.

MARVA PENDERGRASS
GAA, Glee Club, M Club, Prom, Y-Teens.

TOM PERDUE
Intramurals.

with the help of the "M" Club, our pep was the best.



DWIGHT EUGENE PERRIN
Hi-Y, Intramurals.

SALLY SUE PETERS
Glee Club, Mixed Chorus.

ROBYN J. PHIBBS
GAA, Jr HR Rep, Nightingale, Prom.

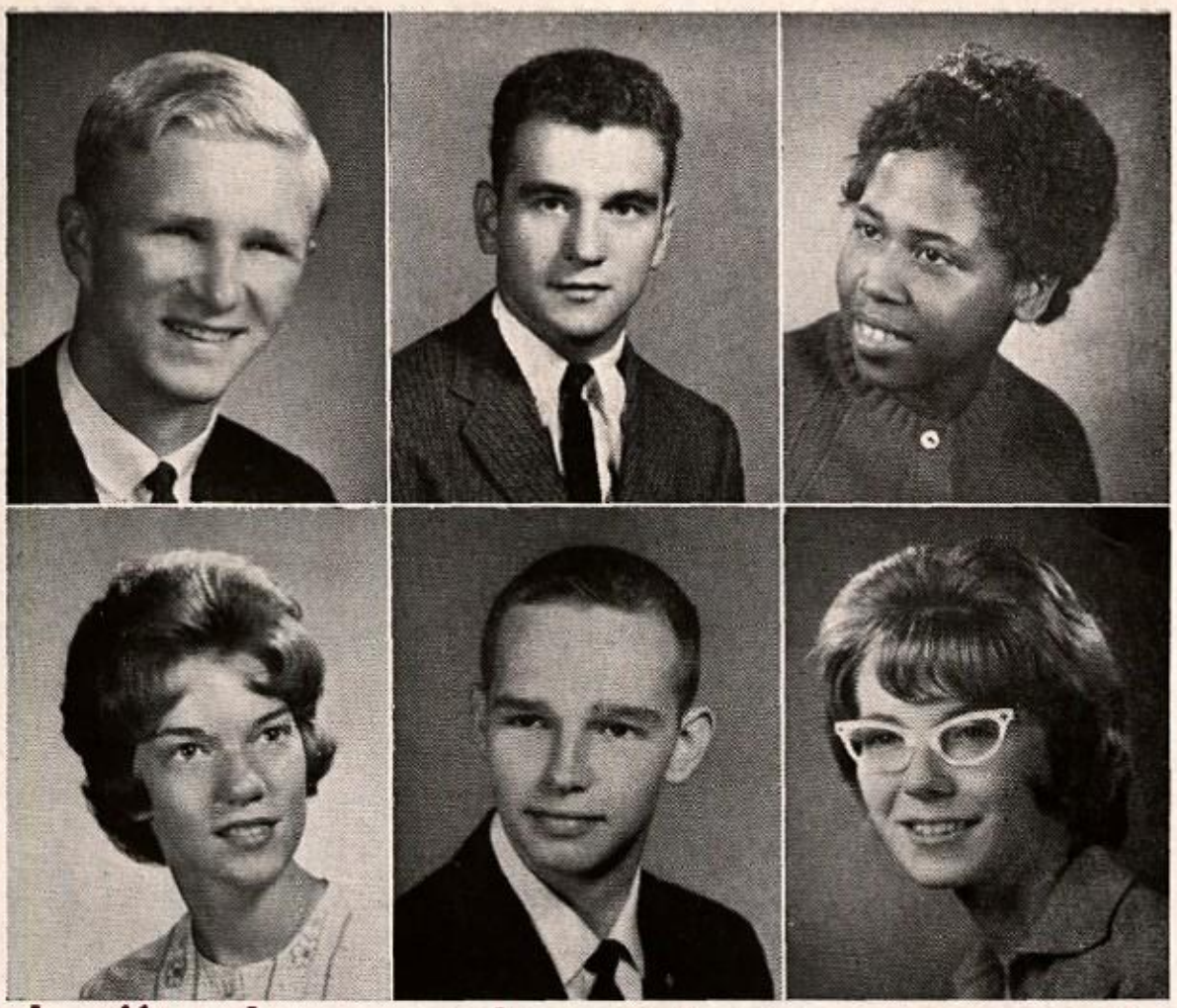
MICHAEL PHILHOWER
Hi-Y, Mixed Chorus, Track.

CARDELIES PHILLIPS
GAA, Glee Club, JA, Mixed Chorus, Nightingale.

DAN PHILLIPS

BILL PIERSALL

LAWANA PITTS
Choir, GAA, Glee Club, JA, Mixed Chorus, Y-Teens.



RANDALL M. POHJOLA
Golf, Hi-Y, Intramurals.

DAN PRAWUCKI

LOIS ALICE PRESTON
GAA, JA, Nightingale.

BEVERLY ANN PROFITT
Band, Band Council, FSA, FTA, Glee Club, Middletonian, Mixed Choir, NHS, Optimist, YCC, Y-Teens, Y-Teen Cabinet.

JEFFERY LEIGHTON PROWS

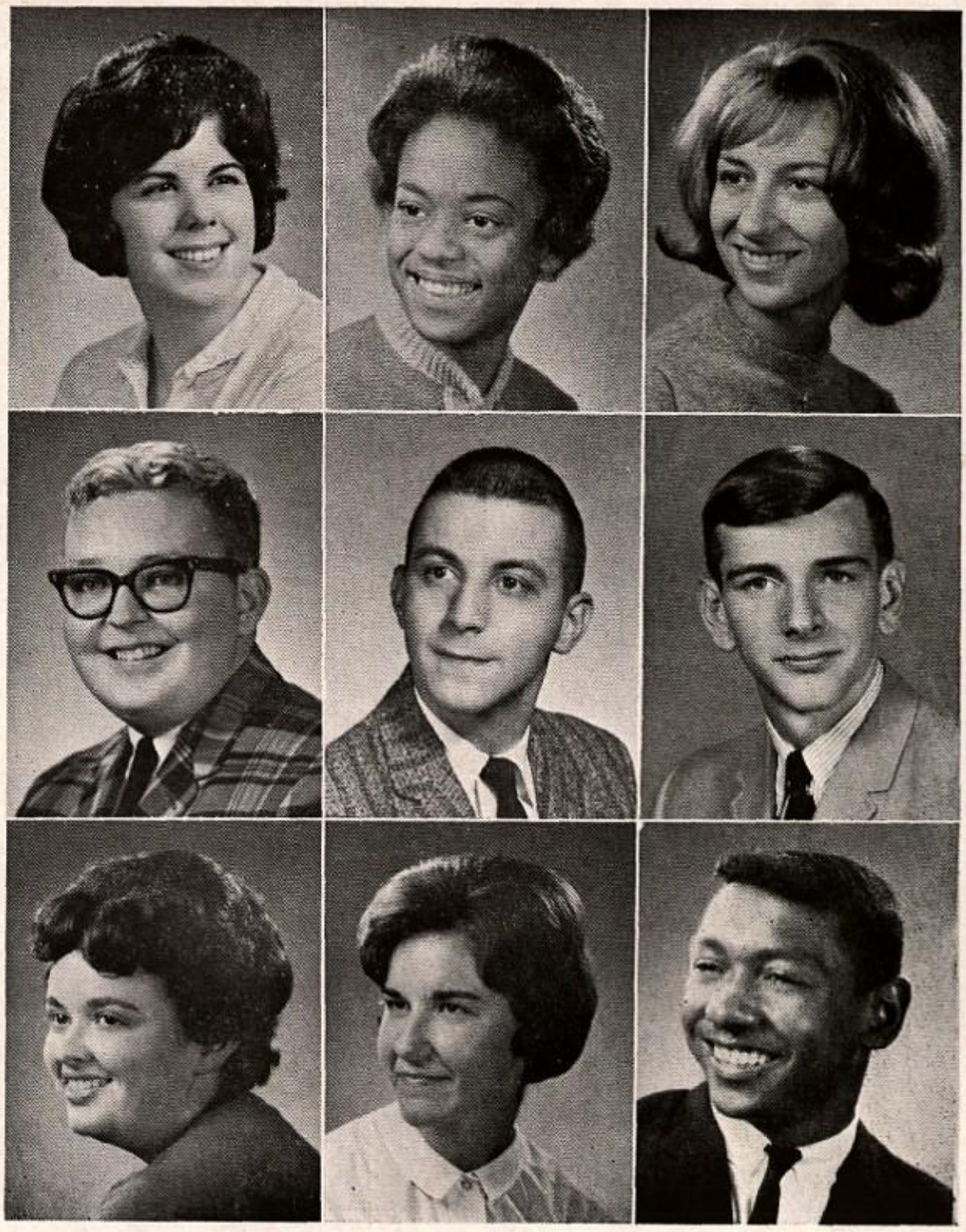
CAROL SUE PUCKETT
DECA.

The "White and Purple Magazine" was a new addition

SALLY ANN RAINE
JCL, Jr HR Rep, "Kind Lady," Mixed Chorus, Nightingale.

BEVERLY REDDING
JA, Nightingale.

BRENDA PEDKEY
FTA, "HMS Pinafore," Middletonian, NHS, Prom, Y-Teens.



JAMES ALAN REESE
Intramurals, JA, JCOWA.

LARRY REFFITT

JAMES EDWARD REUTER

JUDITH DIANE RICHARDS
FTA, GAA, Glee Club, Middletonian, Prom, Y-Teens.

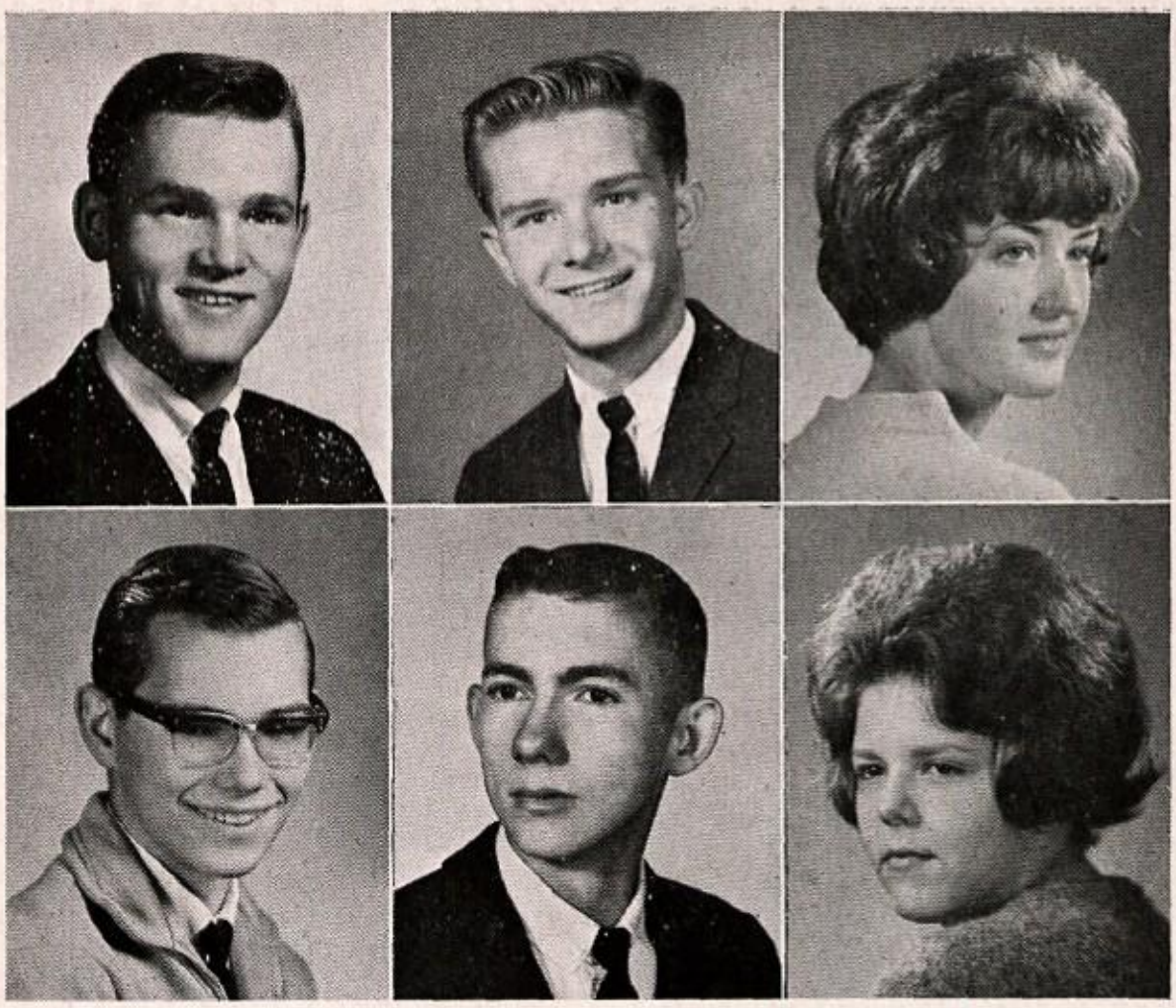
KATHY RIESZ
GAA, "King and I," Middletonian, NHS, Nightingale, Prom, Quill and Scroll, Y-Teens.

ANTHONY JEROME RILEY
Baseball, Hi-Y, Intramurals.

MICHAEL RILEY
Intramurals.

ERICH VON RING
YCC.

PATRICIA ROBERSON
Business Cadet Club.

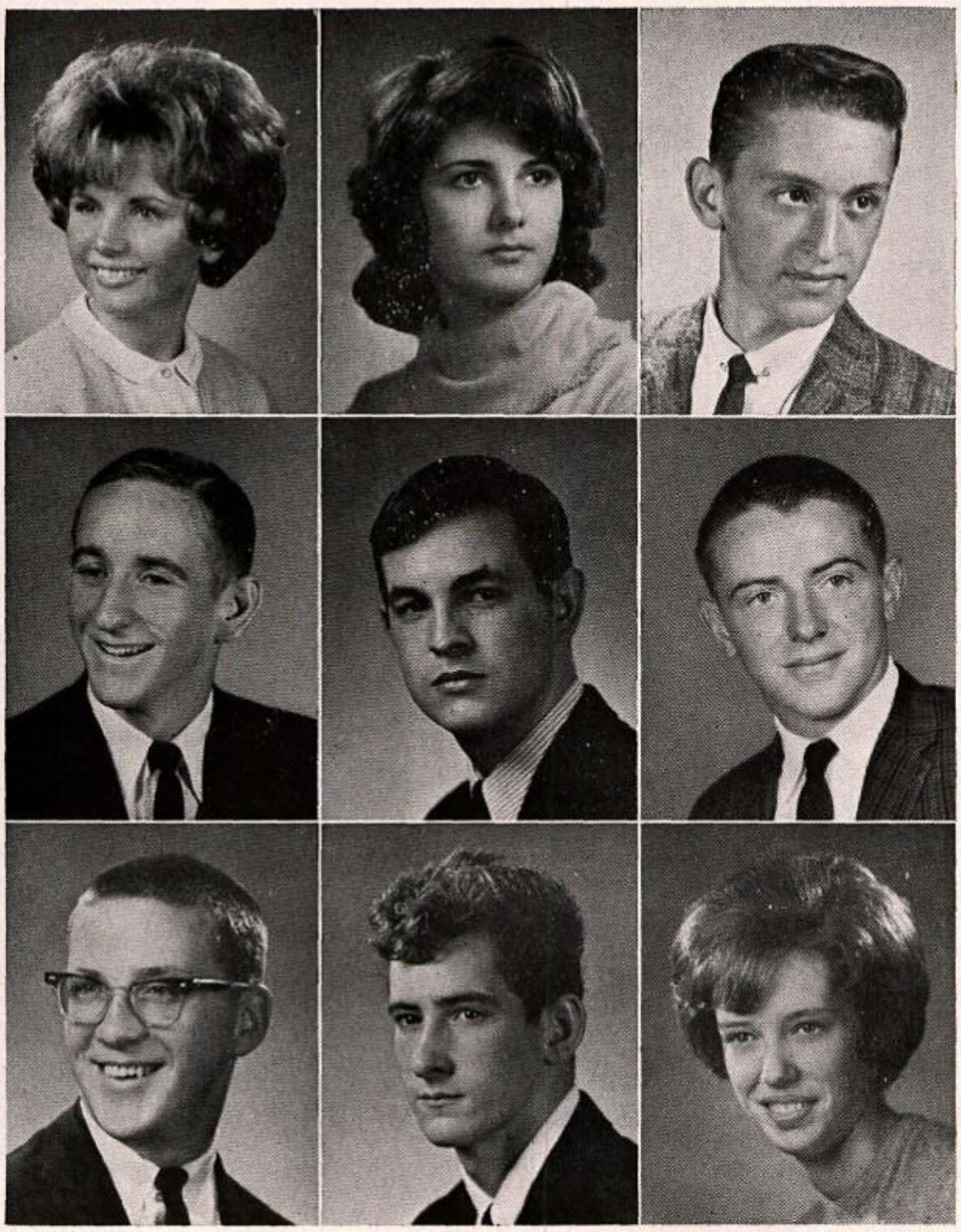


SID ROBERSON
DECA.

GILBERT ROBINSON

CATHI ANN RODEFER
FSA, Glee Club.

of literary works showing students with ambition.



PATRICIA ANN ROGERS
Band, "Cheaper by the Dozen," FTA, GAA, JCL, NHS, Nightingale, Orchestra, Prom, Y-Teens.

SHIRLEY YVONNE ROGERS

DAVID EUGENE ROMANS

MIKE ROMANS

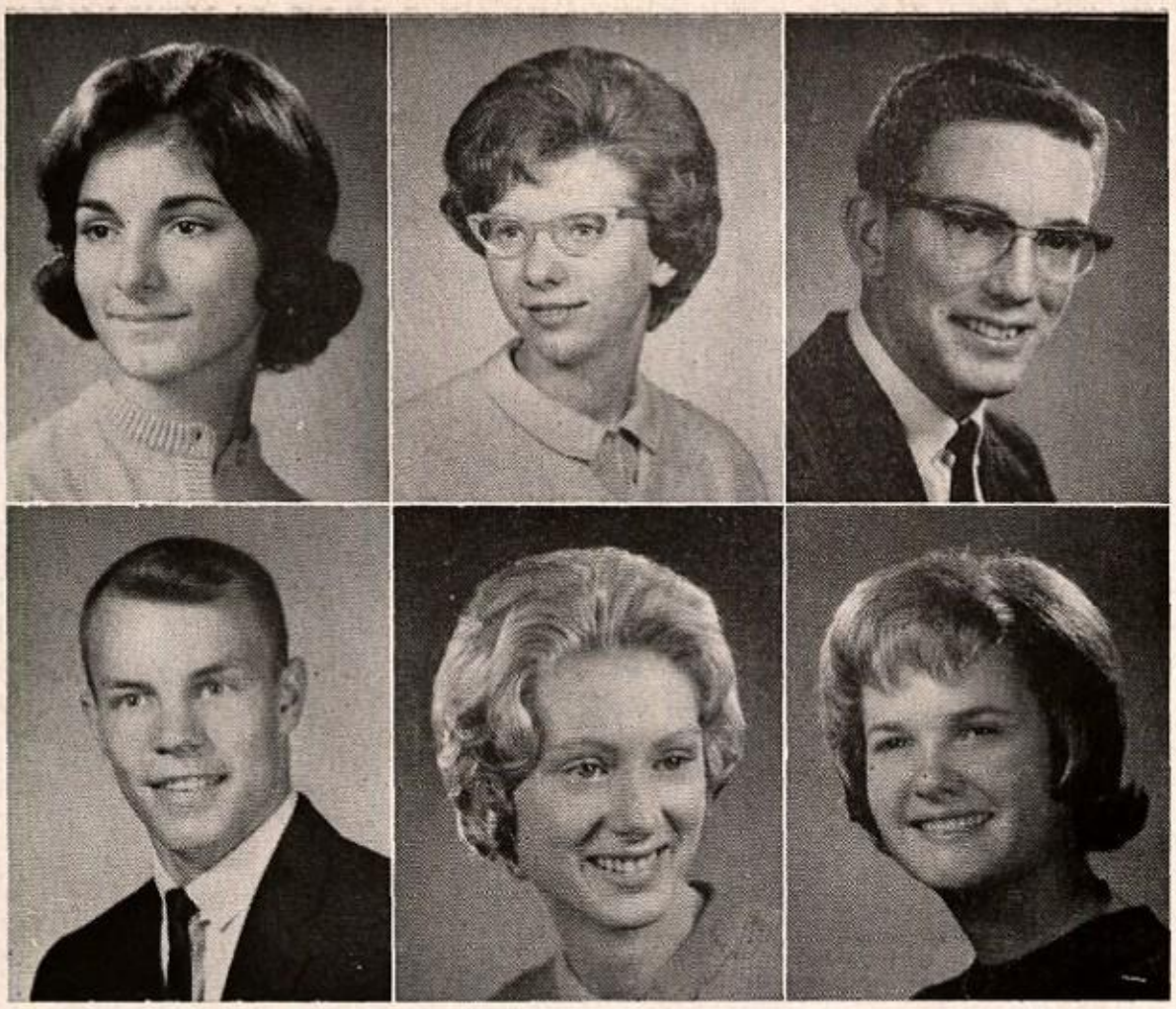
DANNY ROSE
Band.

DENNY ROSE
Football, Track.

EMMETT L. ROTHE
Band, Band Council, "HMS Pinafore," "King and I," Mixed Choir, Mixed Chorus, "New Moon," Orchestra.

JOHN PAUL RUDD
Intramurals.

SUE SARGENT
Nightingale.



HELEN BEATRICE SARRIS
FTA, GAA, "HMS Pinafore," JCL, JCOWA, "King and I," NHS, Nightingale, Optimist, Orchestra, Prom, Sr HR Rep, Y-Teens, Y-Teen Cabinet.

MARILYN SCHERRER
JA, JCOWA, Nightingale.

ROBERT SCHILLER
Intramurals, JA.

JIM SCHMITT
Baseball, Football, Glee Club, Hi-Y.

KAREN SUE SCHROCK
"Cheaper by the Dozen," FTA, Girls' State, JCL, JCOWA, "Kind Lady," Mixed Chorus, NFL, NHS, NLHS, Prom, Radio, Sp NHS, Thespians, White and Purple Magazine, Y-Teens.

CANDICE SCHROFF
"Bad Seed," "Cheaper by the Dozen," GAA, "HMS Pinafore," JCL, "Kind Lady," NHS, NLHS, Nightingale, Optimist, "Our Town," Thespians.

Ten candidates, not eight, were nominated this fall;

DULCY MARIE SCHUELER
"Bad Seed," Band, Band Council, GAA, JCL, JCOWA, Middletonian, NHS, NLHS, Optimist, Prom, Swanettes, Y-Teens.

MELINDA SUE SCHUERMAN
Band.

SANDRA MARGO SEBALD
"Cheaper by the Dozen," GAA, "Kind Lady," "King and I," M Club, Middletonian, "New Moon," Nightingale, Optimist, Prom, Swanettes, Thespians, Y-Teens.

BEVERLY ANN SELBY
FTA, "HMS Pinafore," JCL, JCOWA, Mixed Choir, Mixed Chorus, NFL, NHS, NLHS, Optimist, Prom, Radio, YCC, Y-Teens.

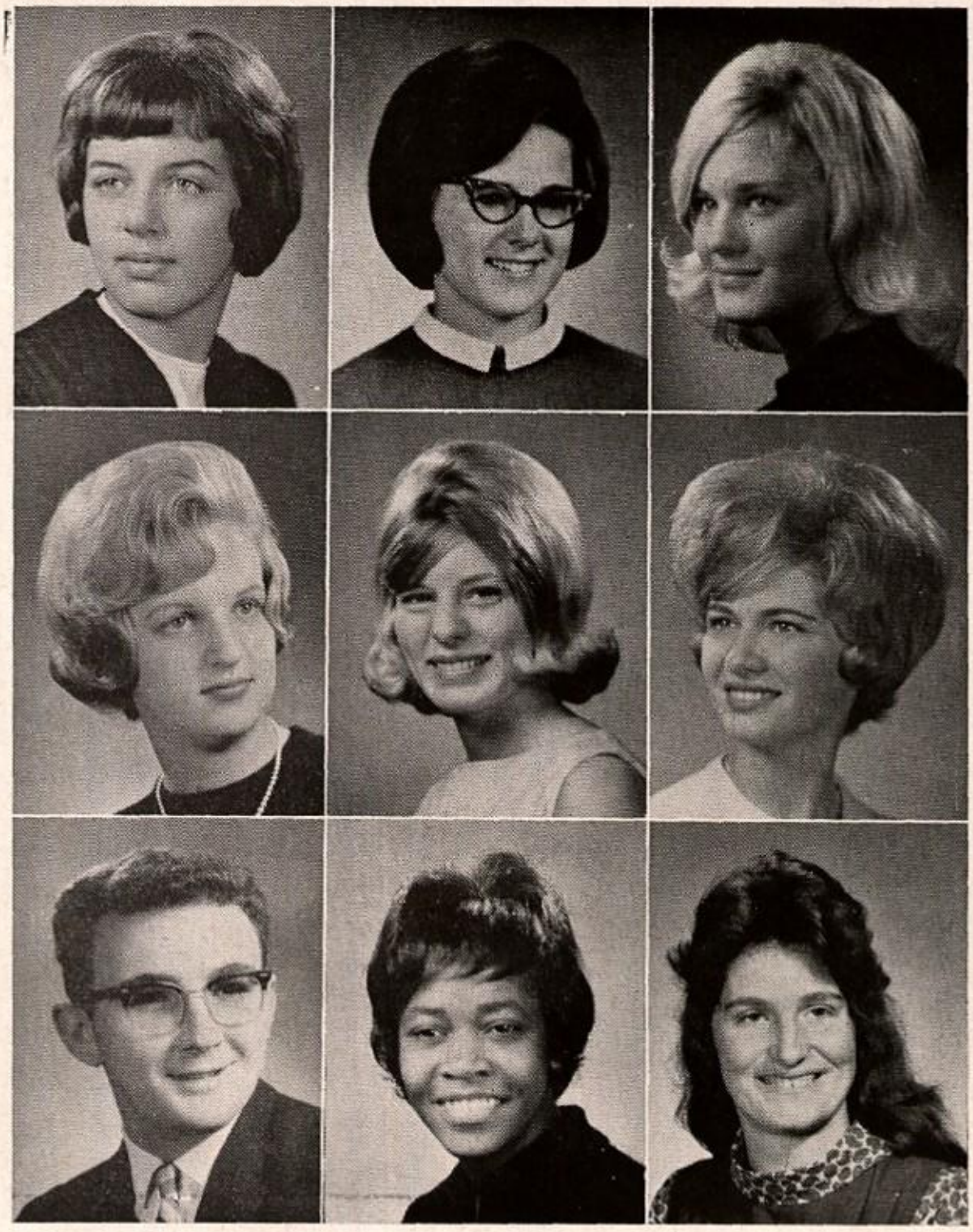
CAROLE ANN SENF
"Cheaper by the Dozen," GAA, "HMS Pinafore," JCL, JCOWA, "Kind Lady," "King and I," "Lily, the Felon's Daughter," NHS, Optimist, "Our Town," Prom, White and Purple Magazine, Y-Teens.

PATTI SEXTON
Band, Band Council, GAA, Girls' State, JCL, Middletonian, NHS, NLHS, "New Moon," Nightingale, Optimist, Prom, Y-Teens, Y-Teen Cabinet.

JOHN W. SHEARER

BEVERLY JO SHIELDS
FSA, JA, Nightingale, Prom, Y-Teens

NORMA SHOUP



JANICE SHROUT
FSA, JA.

JERRY L. SIGLER
Debate, NFL.

ANELLO SILVER

LENITA SIMMONS
GAA, Glee Club, JA, Sr HR Rep.

LOIS SIMPSON

SHERRY KATHERINE SIMPSON
FSA, GAA, Jr HR Rep, Middiettes, Nightingale, Y-Teens.

Homecoming Queen Ginger was the favorite of all.

DAVID ROBERT SIXT
Basketball, Boys' State, Hi-Y, Intramurals, JCL, NHS, Prom, Sr HR Rep, Student Council, Tennis.

MARCIA LYNN SLAMKA
GAA, Glee Club, Middletonian, Nightingale, Y-Teens.

STEPHANIE JOANN SLAMKA
Business Cadet Club, FSA, NHS, Sp NHS, Y-Teens.

ROBERT H. SLOAN, JR.
Hi-Y, Mixed Chorus.

CAROL SMITH
Glee Club.

JOHN HOWARD SMITH
Baseball, Hi-Y, Intramurals, "King and I," Mixed Chorus.

IUDITH ANN SMITH
GAA, JA.

GINNY SMITHSON
GAA, Glee Club, JCL, "Kind Lady," "King and I," Mixed Chorus, NHS, Optimist, Prom, White and Purple Magazine, YCC, Y-Teens.

JEAN SNETHEN
FTA, GAA, Glee Club, "Lily, the Felon's Daughter," M Club, Mixed Chorus, NHS, Nightingale, "Our Town," Prom, Sr HR Rep, Y-Teens.

JOYCE SNETHEN
"Cheaper by the Dozen," FTA, GAA, Glee Club, JCOWA, "Lily, the Felon's Daughter," M Club, Mixed Chorus, NHS, Nightingale, Optimist, "Our Town," Prom, YCC, Y-Teens.

JO ANN SOPPANISH
Nightingale.

CONNIE SORRELL
JCL, Middletonian, NHS, Nightingale, Y-Teens.

DONALD SOUTH, JR.
Hi-Y, Intramurals, JA, Track.

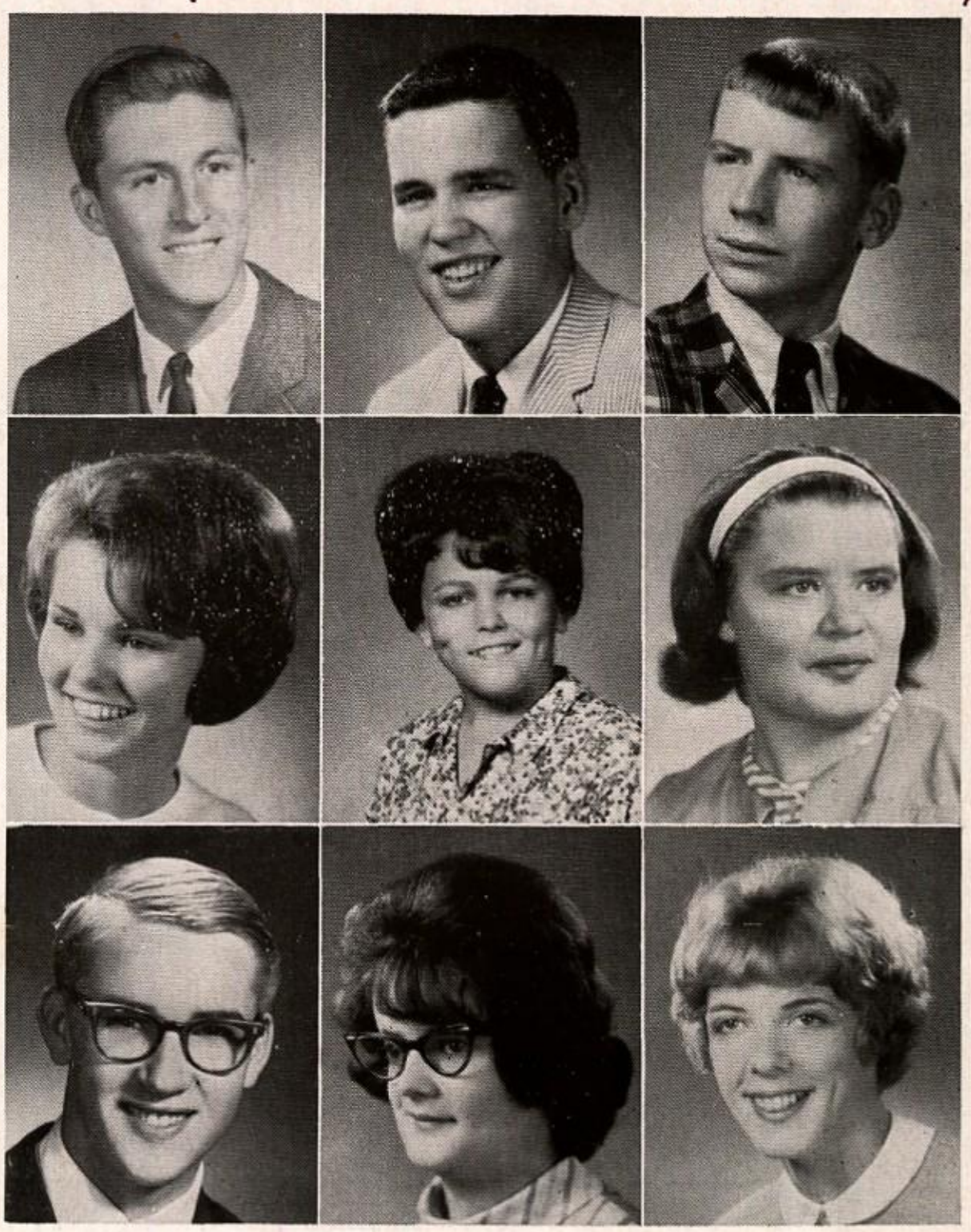
JAMES SOUTH, JR.
"It's Academic," NHS, "Teen Scene," Track.

Mike Johnson, the '64 pick of the national A. F. S.,

JOHN D. SOUTH
Football, Intramurals.

GEORGE J. SOWARDS
Football, Hi-Y, Intramurals, Track, Wrestling.

DAVID SPEARS
Hi-Y.



DONNA SPEIGLE
FTA, GAA, "HMS Pinafore," JCL, JCOWA, "King and I," M Club, Middiettes, Middletonian, NHS, NLHS, Orchestra, Prom, Y-Teens.

SANDY SPENCER
Glee Club.

SHIRLEY SPENCER

JIM STABLER
Prom.

SHIRLEY STAMPER

LINDA KAYE STEELE
Band, GAA, Glee Club, JA, JCL, JCOWA, Nightingale, Prom, Y-Teens.

NANCY E. STEIN
"Bad Seed," "Cheaper by the Dozen," Cheerleader, GAA, "Lily, the Felon's Daughter," NHS, "New Moon," Optimist, "Our Town," Swanettes, Thespians, Y-Teens.

PATTY STEPHENS
FTA, GAA, JCL, Jr HR Rep, Middletonian, NHS, NLHS, Prom, Y-Teens.

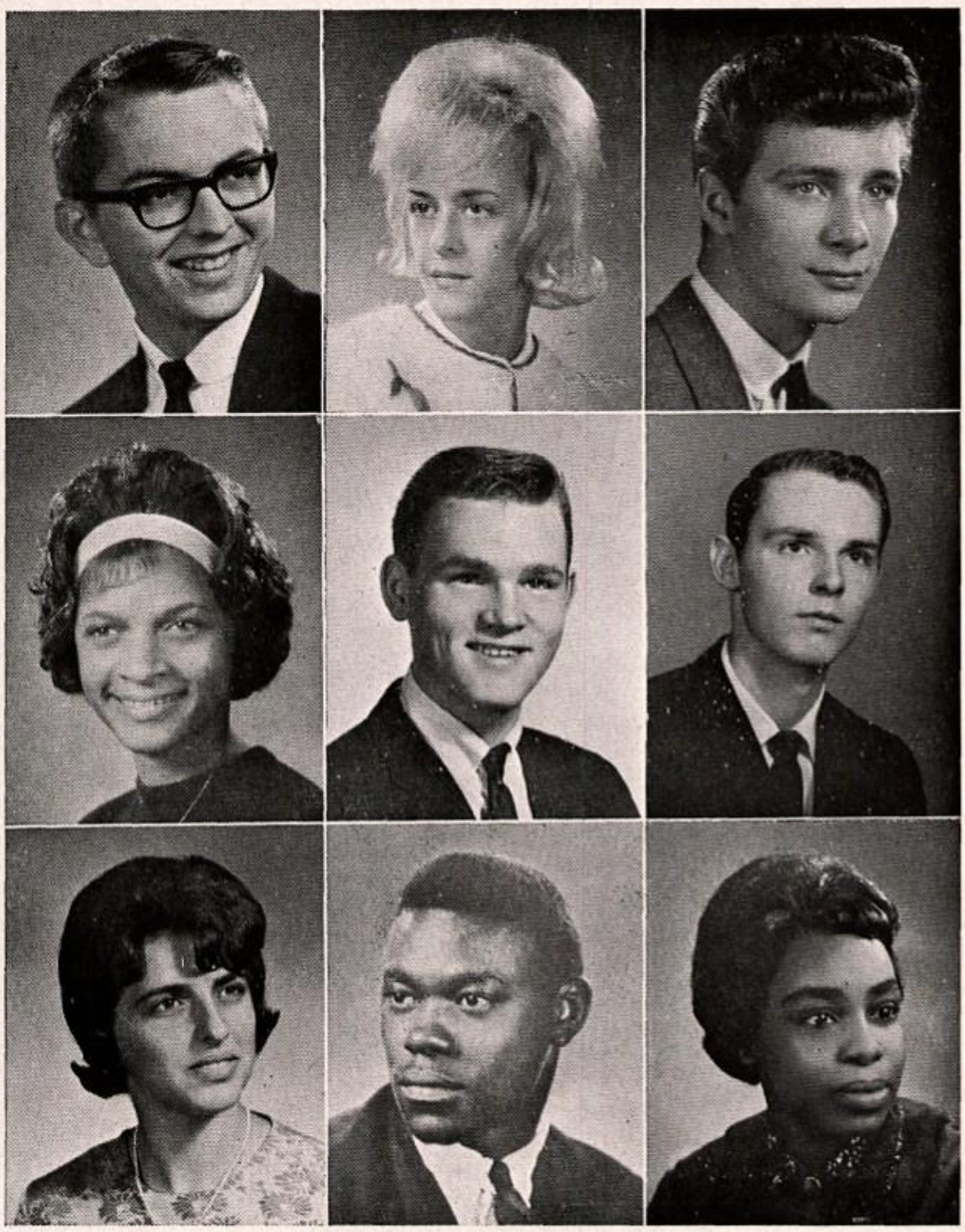
HAL DAVID STEVENS
Football.

CAROL STORCK
Glee Club, JCL, Mixed Chorus, Nightingale, Y-Teens.

JO ANNE STOTTLEMYER
FTA, Mixed Choir, Mixed Chorus, Sp NHS, Swanettes.

TERRY SULLIVAN
GAA.

was sent to Costa Rica to learn and impress.



DAVID ANDREW SZABO
Band, Band Council, Hi-Y, JA, JCOWA, Middletonian, NHS, Optimist, Orchestra, Prom, Quill and Scroll.

SHIRLEY TATMAN
Glee Club.

WILLIAM SHERMAN TAYLOR
Track.

PATRICE TEASLEY
Band, GAA, Glee Club, Nightingale, Middletonian, Sr HR Rep, Y-Teens.

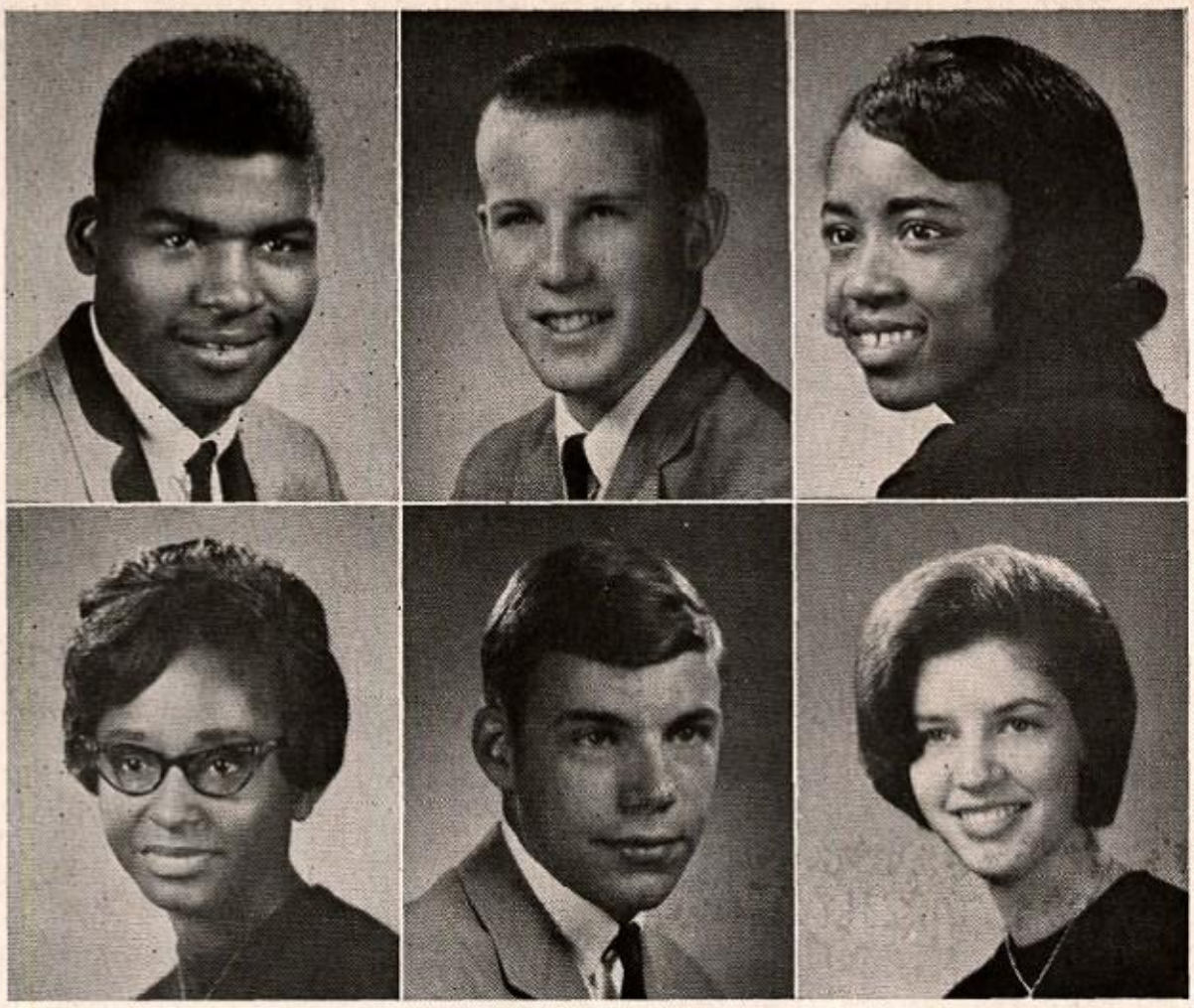
ROBERT TEMPLE

GARY L. TERRY
Chess Club, Intramurals.

SANDRA LEE THACKER
Band, FSA, Y-Teens.

DAVID EUGENE THOMAS
Hi-Y, Intramurals, Track.

DORA THOMAS
GAA, Glee Club.



JULIUS M. THOMAS
Basketball, Intramurals.

KEN ALAN THOMAS
Football, Hi-Y, Intramurals, Jr Class Vice President, NHS, Prom, Swimming, Track.

ROSE MARIE THOMAS
JA, GAA, Middiettes, Nightingale.

LILLIE P. THOMPSON
GAA, Glee Club, Middiettes, Y-Teens.

WILLIAM T. THORN, JR.
Golf, Hi-Y, Hi-Y Council, Intramurals, JCL, NHS, Optimist, Prom, Student Council.

NANCI MARGARET TIER
JCOWA, NHS, Nightingale, Sp NHS, Y-Teens.

"Bon Voyage" was the theme of our fun-filled Prom,

MARGARET TILCH
GAA, Glee Club, JA, JCL, Y-Teens.

DANNY TRIMBLE

DONALD F. TRIMBLE
DECA, Mixed Chorus.

FERN SUZANNE TROUTVINE
Band, GAA, Nightingale, Y-Teens.

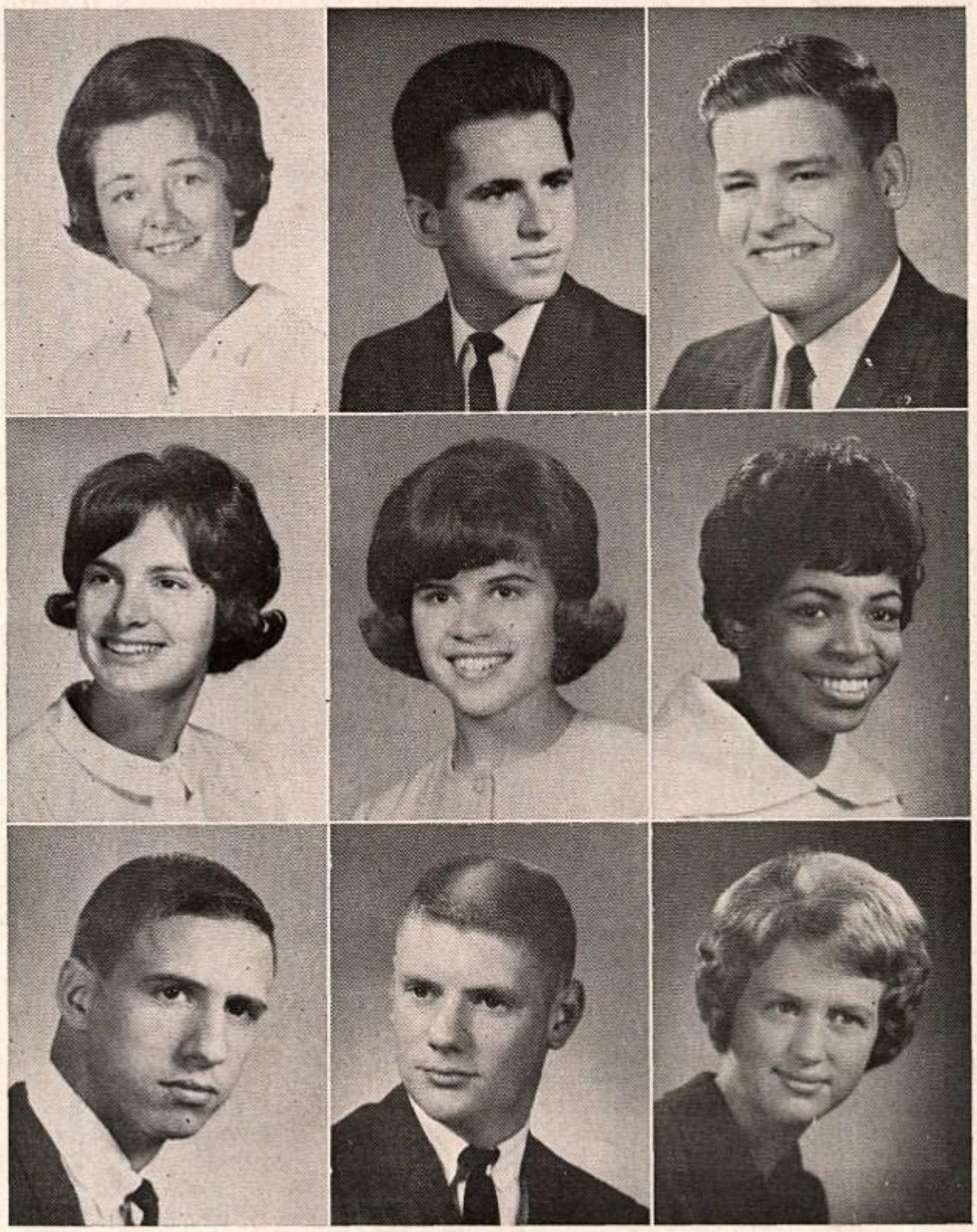
KAREN L. TRUEBLOOD
GAA, Glee Club, JCOWA, Middletonian, Mixed Choir, Mixed Chorus, NHS, Optimist, White and Purple Magazine, YCC, Y-Teens, Y-Teen Cabinet.

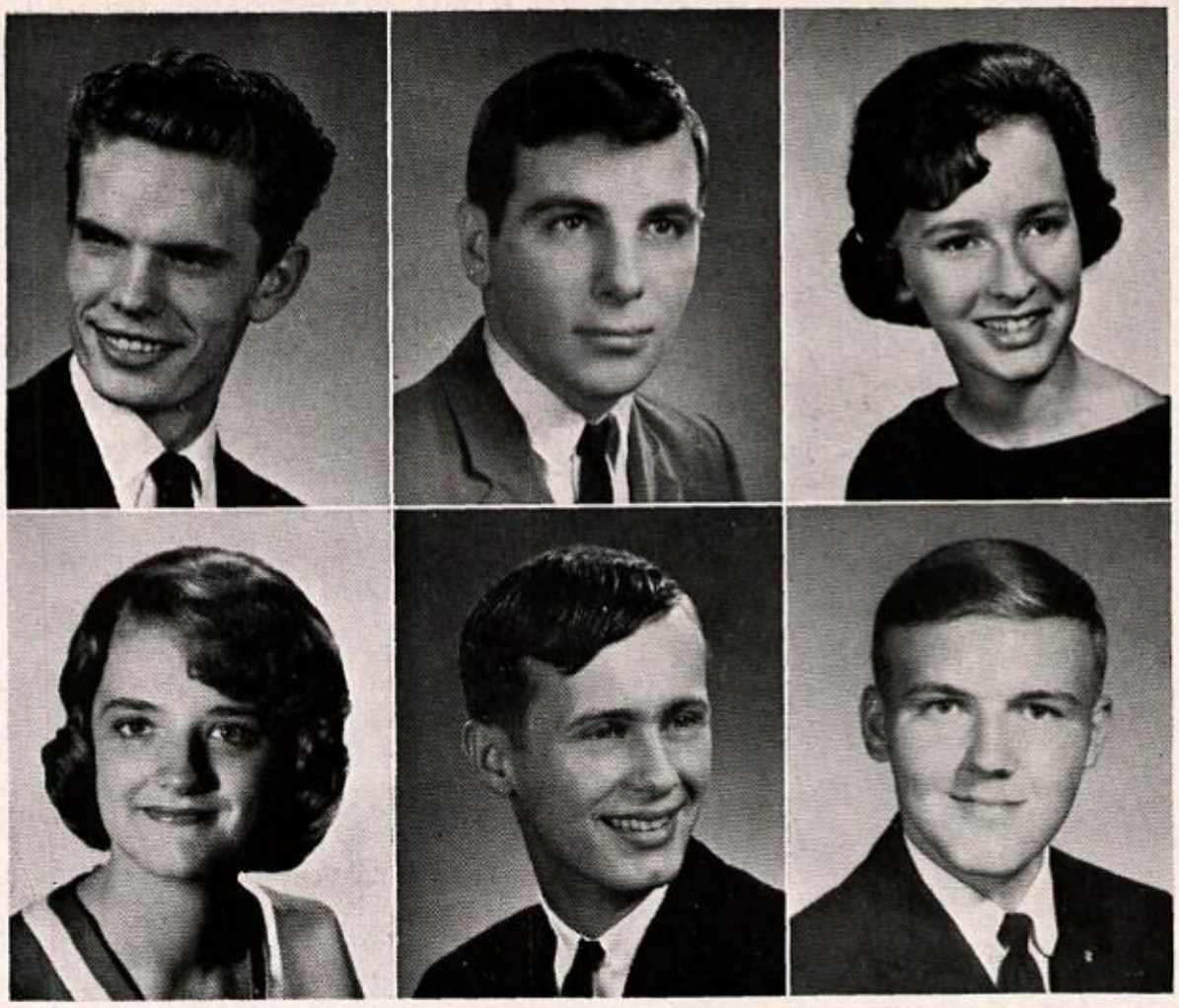
ELOISE PERRY TRUSS
Cheerleader, GAA, Glee Club, JCOWA, JA, Middletonian, Mixed Chorus, Nightingale, Optimist, Prom, Radio, YCC, Y-Teens, Y-Teen Cabinet.

TOM TSAKERIS
Chess Club, Hi-Y, "King and I," Mixed Chorus, Prom.

KENNETH A. TUCKER
Jr HR Rep.

ANNA CAROLYN VANCE
FTA, GAA, JCOWA, "Kind Lady," Middletonian, Nightingale, Optimist, Prom, Sr HR Rep, Y-Teens.





KENDALL VENTERS

JACK WAGNER
Baseball, Hi-Y, JCOWA, Wrestling.

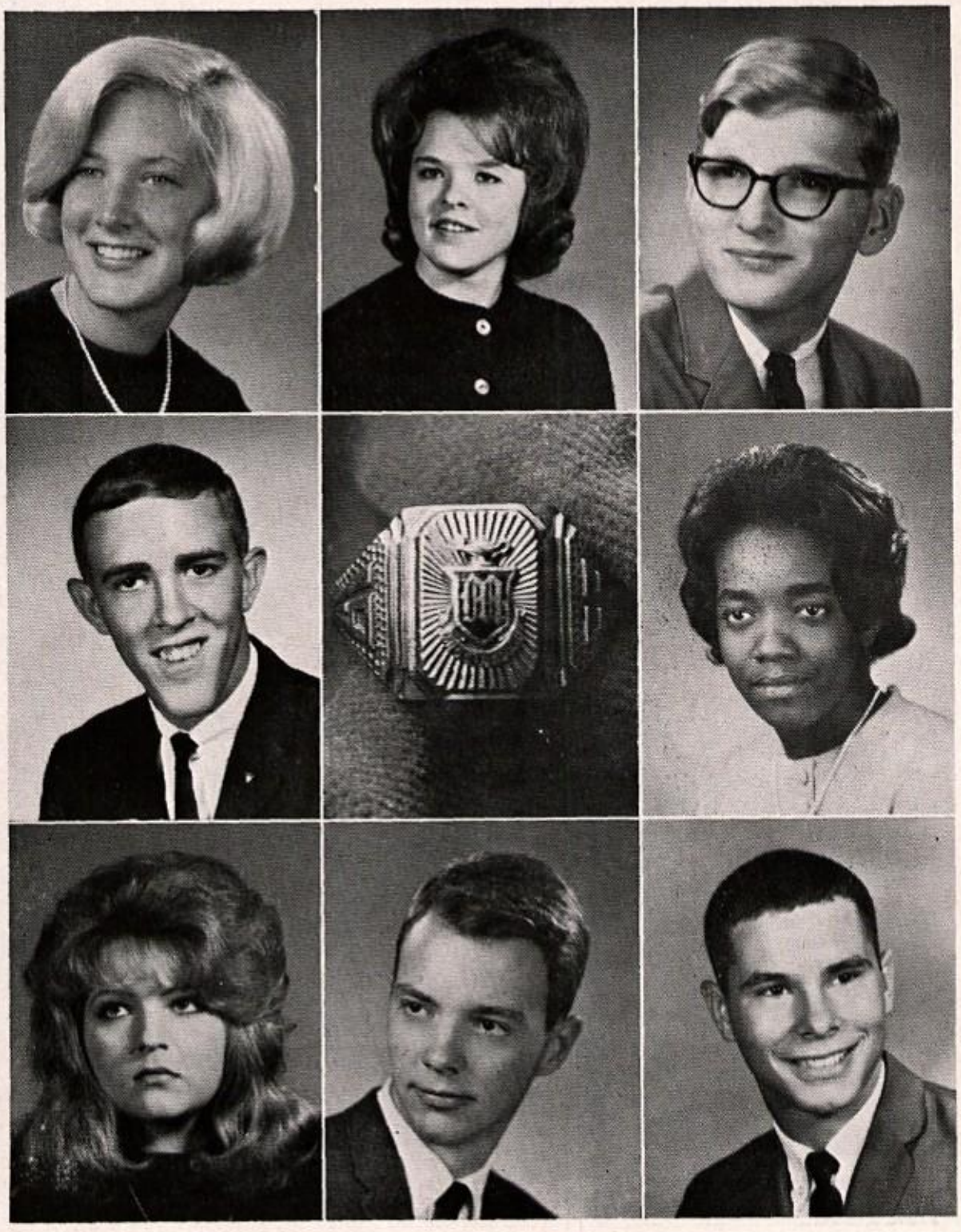
JUDY WAGONER
Band, Band Council, Chess Club, GAA, Glee Club, "HMS Pinafore," JCL, M Club, Mixed Chorus, Nightingale, Orchestra, Triple Trio, Y-Teens.

KAREN WALTER
Band, Band Council, Chess Club, GAA, JCL, Nightingale.

RANDY ELLISON WALTON
Hi-Y, Intramurals, Prom.

ROBERT R. WALTON
Hi-Y, Intramurals.

and we danced to Rick "Z" at the Lake until dawn.



LINDA WARD
Band, GAA, JA, JCOWA, M Club, Nightingale, Prom, Y-Teens.

MARY CATHERINE WARDLOW
GAA.

EUGENE WARMOTH
Glee Club, JA, Mixed Chorus.

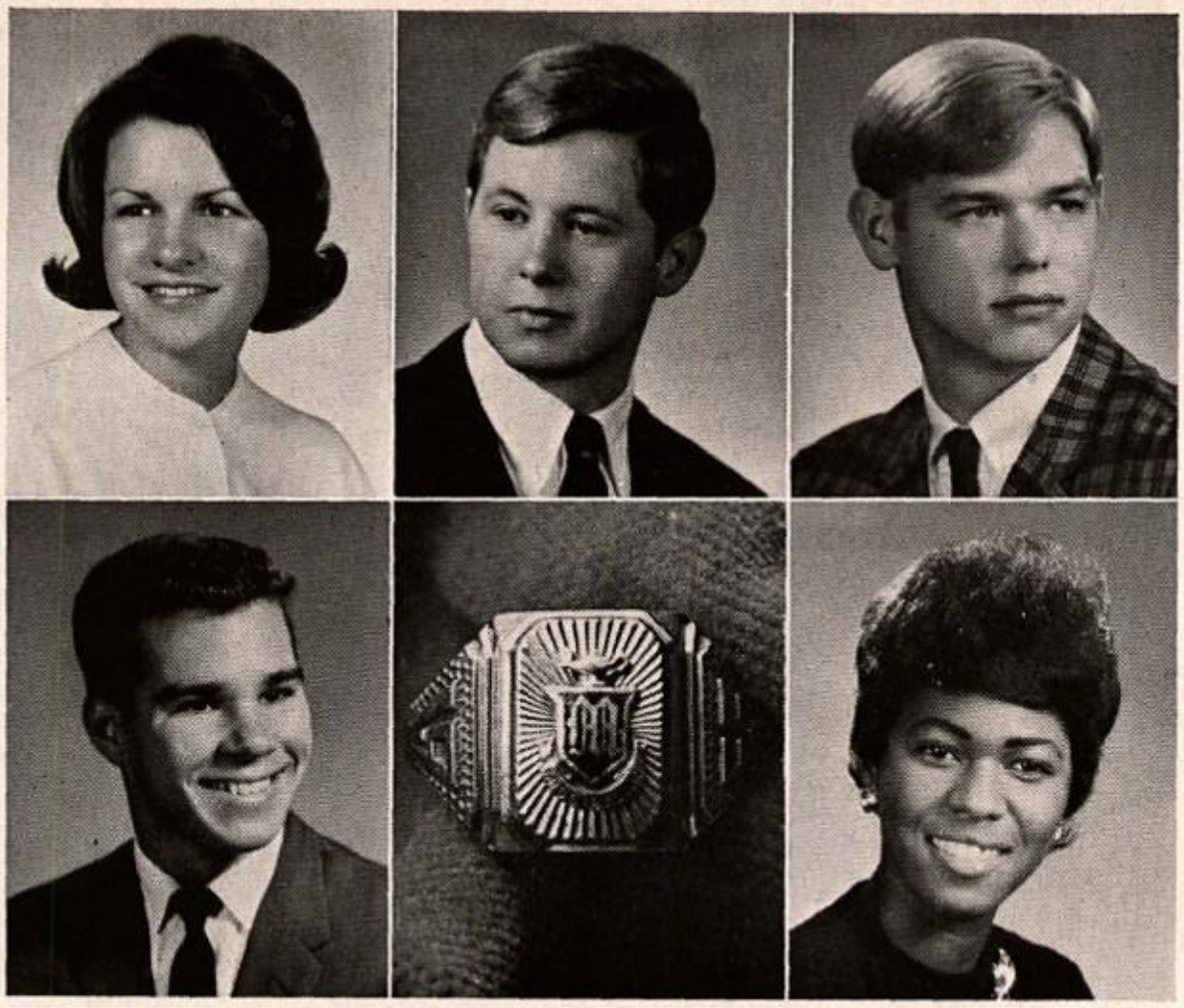
ROBERT E. WARNOCK, JR.
Baseball, Basketball, Hi-Y, JA, JCOWA, Middletonian, Optimist.

CAROL JEAN WATTS
GAA, JA, Middiettes, Y-Teens.

YVONNE MARIA WEBB

GARY WEIKEL
Band, Band Council, Golf, Hi-Y, Intramurals.

ED WEINSTEIN
Golf, Intramurals, Hi-Y, Middletonian



SHARON LYNN WELLS
Cheerleader, FTA, GAA, JCL, Jr HR Rep, "New Moon," Nightingale, Optimist, Prom, Student Council, Y-Teens.

DOYLE W. WHISLER

RONALD LEWIS WHITEMAN
Football, Hi-Y, Intramurals.

DAN WILCH
Wrestling.

JANICE MARIE WILLIAMS
FTA, GAA, Glee Club, JA, Mixed Chorus, Y-Teens, Y-Teen Cabinet

This year has been great, the time really flew,

NORMA JEAN WILLIAMS

PATRICIA RHEA WILLIAMS
FSA, GAA, Jr HR Rep, Y-Teens.

VICKI LEE WILLIAMS
DECA, GAA, GAA Board, Y-Teens.

EDNA KAY WILLS
JA.

JANICE WILMER
FTA, GAA, Glee Club, JCL, JCOWA, Mixed Chorus, NLHS, Nightingale, Prom, Sp NHS, Y-Teens.

JERALD ALAN WISE
Hi-Y, JA.

JANET WILLS
FSA, GAA, Glee Club, JA, "Kind Lady," Middletonian, Nightingale, Optimist, "Our Town," Prom.

ANN WITT
JA, Orchestra.

LARRY WIZE
Football, Hi-Y, Intramurals, JA.

PEGGY LEE WOMBOLD
JA.

GAYLE FRANCES WOOD
FTA, Glee Club, JA, "Kind Lady," Mixed Chorus, Nightingale, "Our Town," Prom, Y-Teens.

LINDA CARROLL WOODWARD
JCL, JCOWA, NFL, NLHS, Prom, Radio, Y-Teens.

CLAVON CHESTER WOOLDRIDGE
Intramurals.

CAROL LEE WORKMAN
DECA, JA.

now we Middie Seniors leave new Moments to you.

JONATHAN S. WRIGHT
Hi-Y, Intramurals, JCL, Jr HR Rep, "Kind Lady," Middletonian, Prom.

SUSAN WRIGHTS
JA, JCL, Nightingale, Y-Teens.

JAMES E. WROTEN, JR.

EVELYN YEGGY
Debate, JA, NFL, Nightingale, Y-Teens.

DAVID C. YOCOM
Football, Hi-Y, Hi-Y Council, Track.

GERRY YOCUM
GAA, Nightingale, Mixed Chorus.

CONNIE YOUNG
Glee Club.

MICHAEL C. YOUNG
Baseball, Hi-Y, Hi-Y Council, Intramurals, JA.

ELIZABETH ANN ZECHER
FTA, GAA, JCL, Nightingale, Optimist, Prom, Y-Teens.

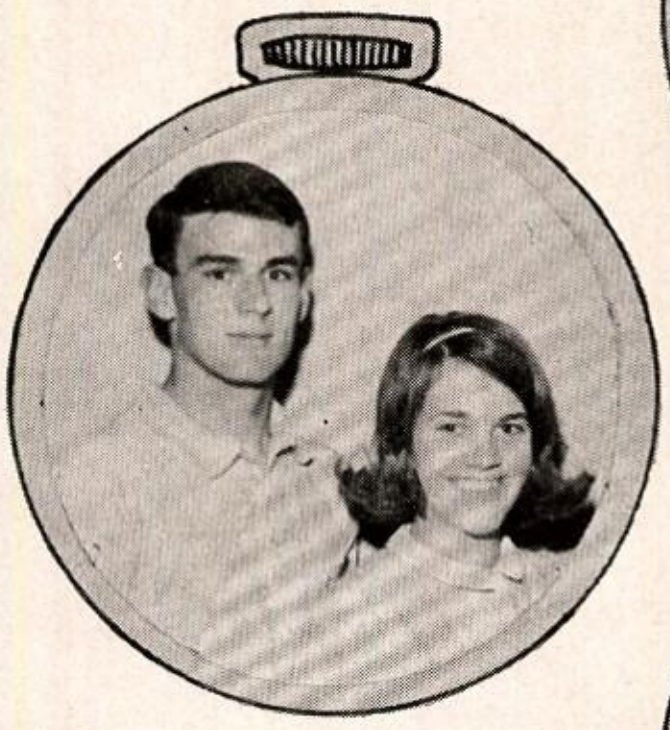
SENIOR COSMOPOLITAN

DEPENDABLE

Rex Bevis
Pam McNabb

ENTHUSIASTIC

Jim Barnett
Helen Sarris

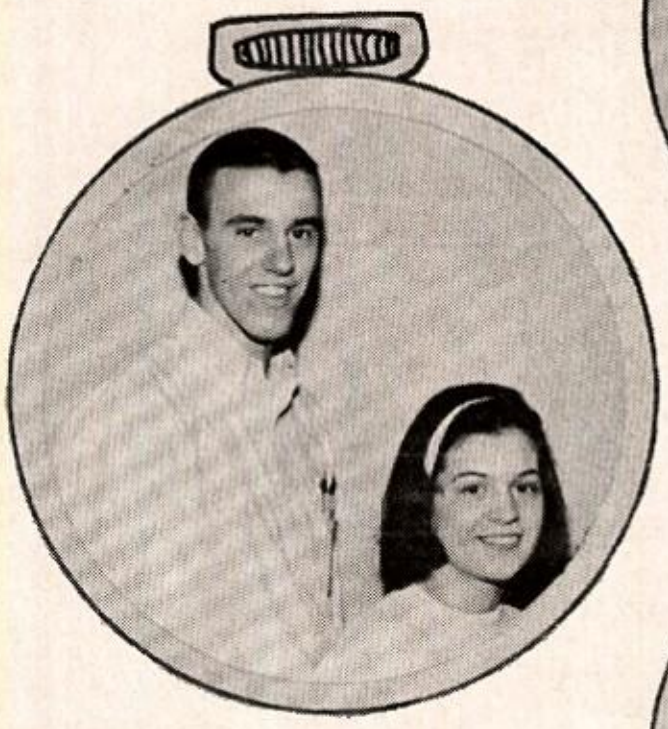


COOPERATIVE

Jim Herr
Carolyn Heckard

WELL-LIKED

Rick Waxweiler
Libby Sant



FRIENDLY

David Sixt
Emma Gillespie

LIKELY-TO-SUCCEED

Robert Liljestrand
Elaine Dannis

SENIOR COSMOPOLITAN

ATHLETIC

Dave Ortman
Pam Goetz

VERSATILE

Rick Hayes
Carol Burdsall

ATTRACTIVE

Rick Fraunfelter
Jenny Boxwell

SINCERE

Ken Thomas
Karen Trueblood

INTELLIGENT

James South
Karen Schrock

WITTY

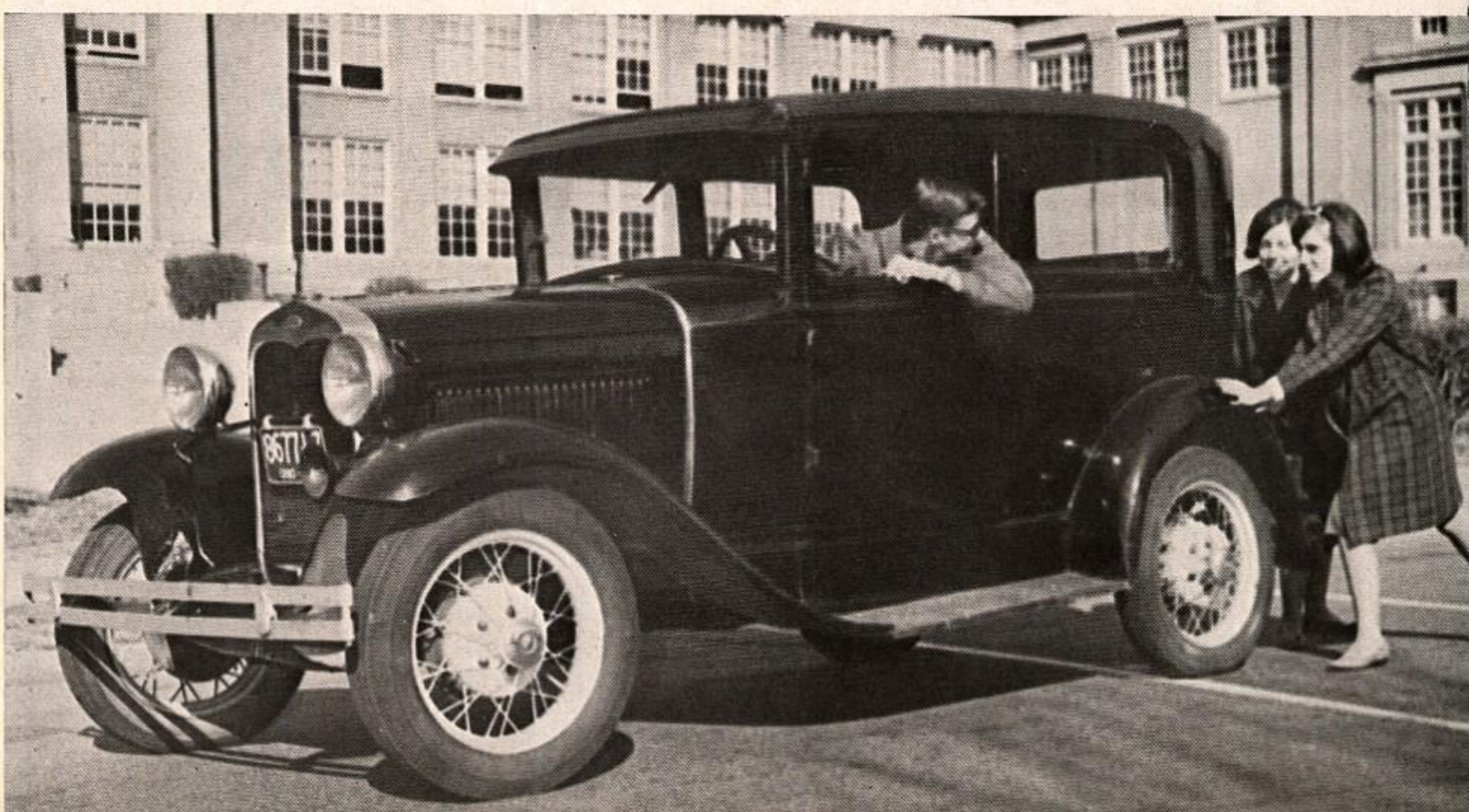
Mike Johnson
Barbara Maxwell

Mutt and Jeff seem to return in the persons of seniors Mike Lamb and Paula Duncan.

Laura Leigh has a tough time choosing the lesser of two evils, James Herr or Jim Barnett.

SENIORS

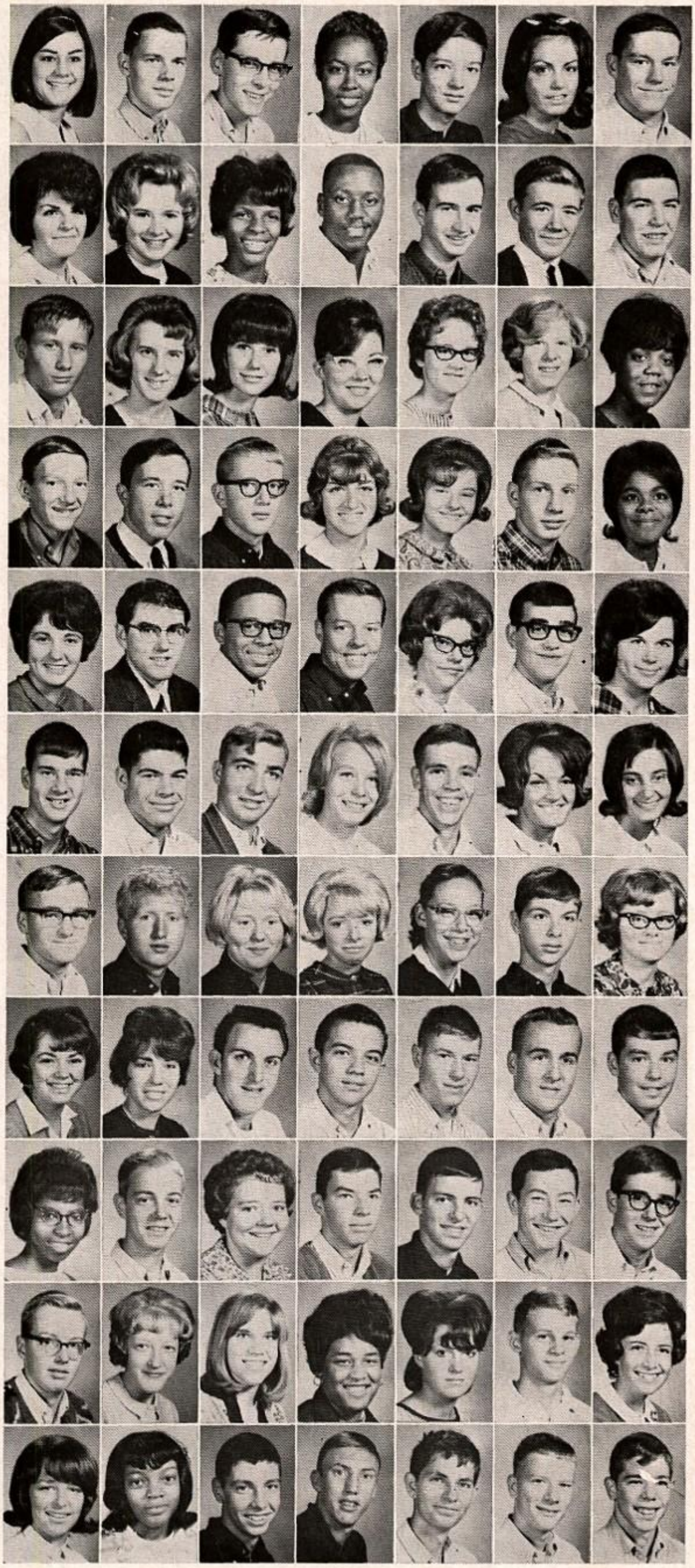
Bill Thorn proves it's a *man's world* as Sharon Johnson and Virginia Palmer lend helping hands.



JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS: Evelyn Radabaugh, secretary; Dave Minor, president; Kim Winget, vice-president; Kent Goforth, treasurer.

JUNIOR COSMOPOLITAN

WITTY	Howard Johnson	Nancy Lorig
SINCERE	Dave Minor	Melinda Terry
ATHLETIC	Steve Wyatt	Evelyn Radabaugh
FRIENDLY	Sam Nelson	Judy Danner
VERSATILE	Ken Cohen	Debbie Starkey
ATTRACTIVE	Joe Peck	Brenda Charles
DEPENDABLE	Ken Bush	Kay Finkelman
WELL-LIKED	Kent Goforth	Beverly Ikenberry
INTELLIGENT	Kim Winget	Lynne Withey
CO-OPERATIVE	Larry Pergram	Pam Sloan
ENTHUSIASTIC	Johnny Mail	Andrea Mittenholzer
LIKELY-TO-SUCCEED	Pete Weitzenkorn	Betsy Cole



JUNIORS

Row 1 — Vicki Abner, Loren Ackerman, Dave Adams, Donna Adams, Mike Adams, Donna Agee, Ted Alexander.

Row 2 — Christine Amburgey, Linda Amburgey, Karen Arnett, Delbert Arnold, Bob Artman, Joe Atkinson, Rick Atkinson.

Row 3 — Del Averdick, Marsha Back, Mary Lou Back, Diann Bailey, Shiela Bailey, Vera Bailey, Betty Baker.

Row 4 — Tim Bales, Barry Bard, Jim Bare, Patty Barker, Sharon Barker, Jeff Barnes, Connie Barnett.

Row 5 — Janet Barnett, John Barnett, Duane Barnette, John Barr, Shirley Barrett, Richard Bashaw, Janet Beebe.

Row 6 — Tom Bell, Woodrow Bell, Randy Bendure, Joanie Bennett, Paul Bergdall, Paula Berry, Celia Bessel.

Row 7 — Pete Billman, Charles Blair, JoAnn Blair, Beverly Blankenship, Ruth Ann Blankenship, Ken Blevins, Sharon Bonniville.

Row 8 — Cindi Borders, Karen Sue Bowley, Bruce Boyd, Howard Brandenburg, David Brandon, Tom Brehm, Dan Bremer.

Row 9 — Dorothy Briggs, Fred Brooks, Angela Brown, Clive Brown, Dix Brown, Gary Brown, James Brown.

Row 10 — Jim Brown, Phyllis Brown, Kay Brumagen, Anna Bryant, Sharyn Buchanan, John Buchert, Vicki Burgess.

Row 11 — Cheryl Burns, Brenda Bush, Ken Bush, Dave Byrd, Jim Byrd, John Campbell, Richard Campbell.

JUNIORS

Row 1 — Dale Carpenter, Bernita Carroll, Curtis Chambers, Nancy Chapman, Charles Chappell, Brenda Charles, Kathi Charles.

Row 2 — Carolee Christy, Debbie Clark, Wilma Clements, Marilyn Clendenin, Anna Click, Jenny Coburn, Todd Coddington.

Row 3 — Ken Cohen, Betsy Cole, Alan Coleman, Don Coleman, Herman Colwell, Pam Combs, Patty Combs.

Row 4 — Richard Combs, Rick Combs, Sandra Kay Combs, Sandy Lee Combs, Patty Conley, Mary Lou Conner, David Cook.

Row 5 — Judy Cook, Corky Cordray, Patrick Corrill, Lynda Cottrell, Bobby Cox, Charlotte Cox, Darrell Cox.

Row 6 — Gregory Cox, Karen Cox, Richard Cox, Victor Cox, David Craig, Cathy Criger, Diane Cummings.

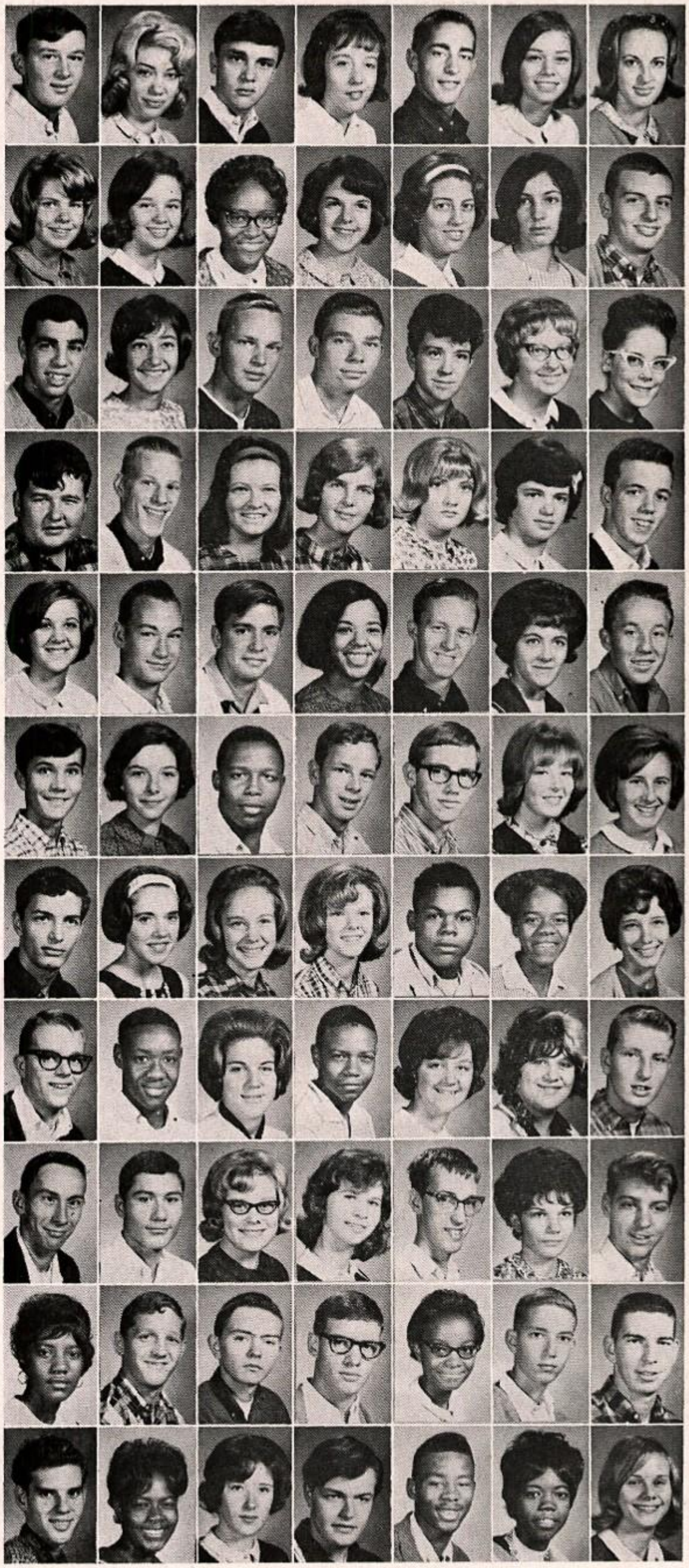
Row 7 — Tim Curlis, Linda Dalton, Judy Danner, Linda Darrell, Edgar Davis, Georgia Davis, Janie Davis.

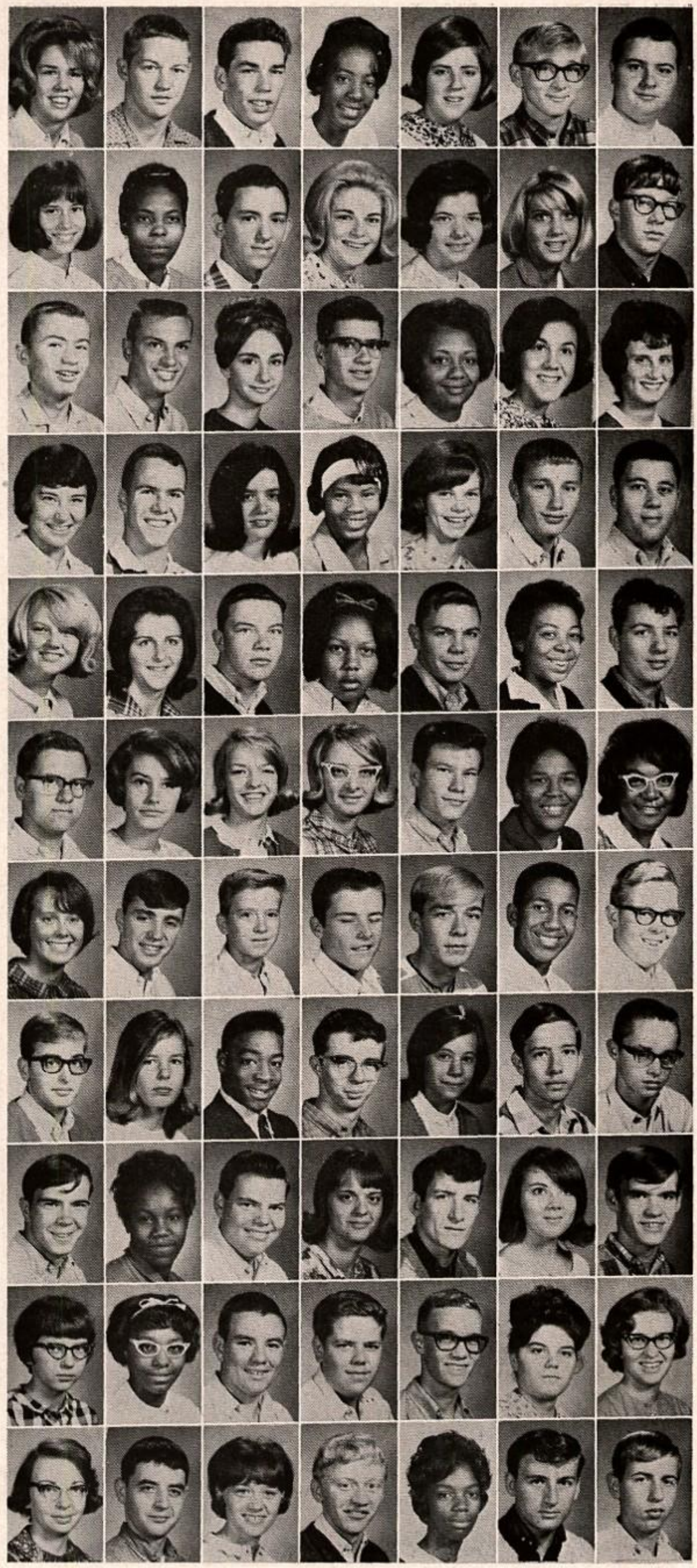
Row 8 — Mike Davis, Steve Davis, Billie Day, Clifford Day, June Day, Diana Deaton, Kenneth Deaton.

Row 9 — Leon Deck, Carl Dennin, Donna Dennis, Brenda Sue Derr, Mike Detcher, Anita DiNardo, Walter Dobzynecki.

Row 10 — Deborah Domineck, Thomas Doud, Bob Dowrey, Will Draut, Sandra Drennen, Jay Dudley, John Dumford.

Row 11 — Johnny Duncan, Gloria Dupee, Deborah Dykes, Ray Eckhardt, Kenneth Edwards, Lucy Edwards, Cecelia Egelston.





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Row 1 — Mary Ellis, Paul Ellis, Wayne Ellis, Henrietta Elms, Tracee Epstein, Hank Erb, Bob Evans.

Row 2 — Gail Evans, Glenda Everhart, Allan Farler, Marcia Farmer, Donna Farris, Diane Fasany, Tim Fawns.

Row 3 — Steve Felton, Rick Ferguson, Kay Finkelman, Charles Fisher, Geraldine Fletcher, Linda Flook, Marisue Foland.

Row 4 — Kitty Francis, Bruce Franz, Sandi Frazier, Sherry Frazier, Nancy Frisby, Teddy Frisch, Jim Frye.

Row 5 — Cheryl Fugate, Brenda Fugett, Don Fuhrman, Brenda Fuller, Greg Gardner, Nancy Gates, George Gentry.

Row 6 — George Gerard, Lynn Getter, Judy Gibson, Marcia Giffen, Terry Gilbert, Vanetta Glass, Tuana Glover.

Row 7 — Susan Goecke, Kent Goforth, Gary Gomia, Mike Gomia, Paul Goodwin, Phillip Graham, Andy Granger.

Row 8 — Bob Green, Brenda Greenwell, Irvin Gregory, Donald Griffey, Pam Grizzell, James Gross, Walter Grosse.

Row 9 — Larry Guthrie, Anna Mae Guy, Randy Hagan, Meriam Haley, Denton Hall, Janice Hall, Jim Hall.

Row 10 — Sharon Hall, Fredricka Hamilton, Marvin Hamilton, Donald Haney, Ronald Haney, Sharon Hanna, Martha Hansel.

Row 11 — Betty Jo Harper, Louie Scott Harrison, Sharon Harrison, Terry Harrison, Brenda Hart, David Hartbarger, Bill Hartman.

JUNIORS

Row 1 — Barbara Hasty, James Hedger, Dale Helton, Christopher Henderson, Ken Henderson, Sandy Henderson, James Hendricks.

Row 2 — Vickie Hendricks, Marty Hensler, Lois Herbert, Steve Hess, Larry Higgins, Rick Hillman, Gary Hocz.

Row 3 — Larry Holder, Roger Hollenbaugh, Ernestine Holmes, George Hood, Bruce Hopper, Beverly Hoskins, Mary Hovel.

Row 4 — Anita Howard, Linda Howard, Randall Howard, Nancy Howe, David Hudson, Wallace Huff, Bruce Hughley.

Row 5 — Rosenna Hughley, Clarence Hunter, Claudette Hunter, Beverly Ikenberry, Bob Imfeld, Mack Ingram, Vicki Irwin.

Row 6 — Don Jackson, Diana Jamison, Margrett Jenia, Barbara Johnsen, John Johnsen, Beth Johnson, Bobby Earl Johnson.

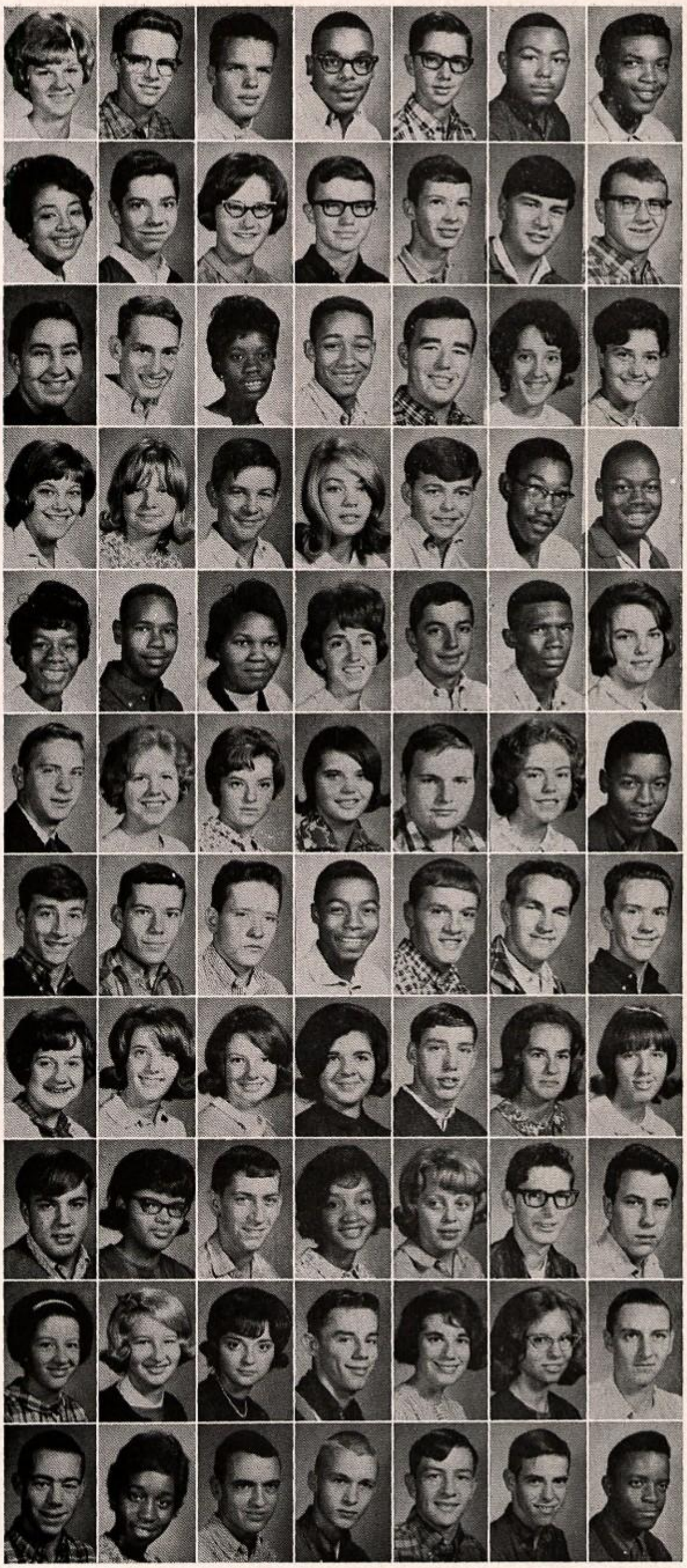
Row 7 — Dave Johnson, Don Johnson, Ellis Johnson, Harold Johnson, Howard Johnson, J. C. Johnson, Mike Johnson.

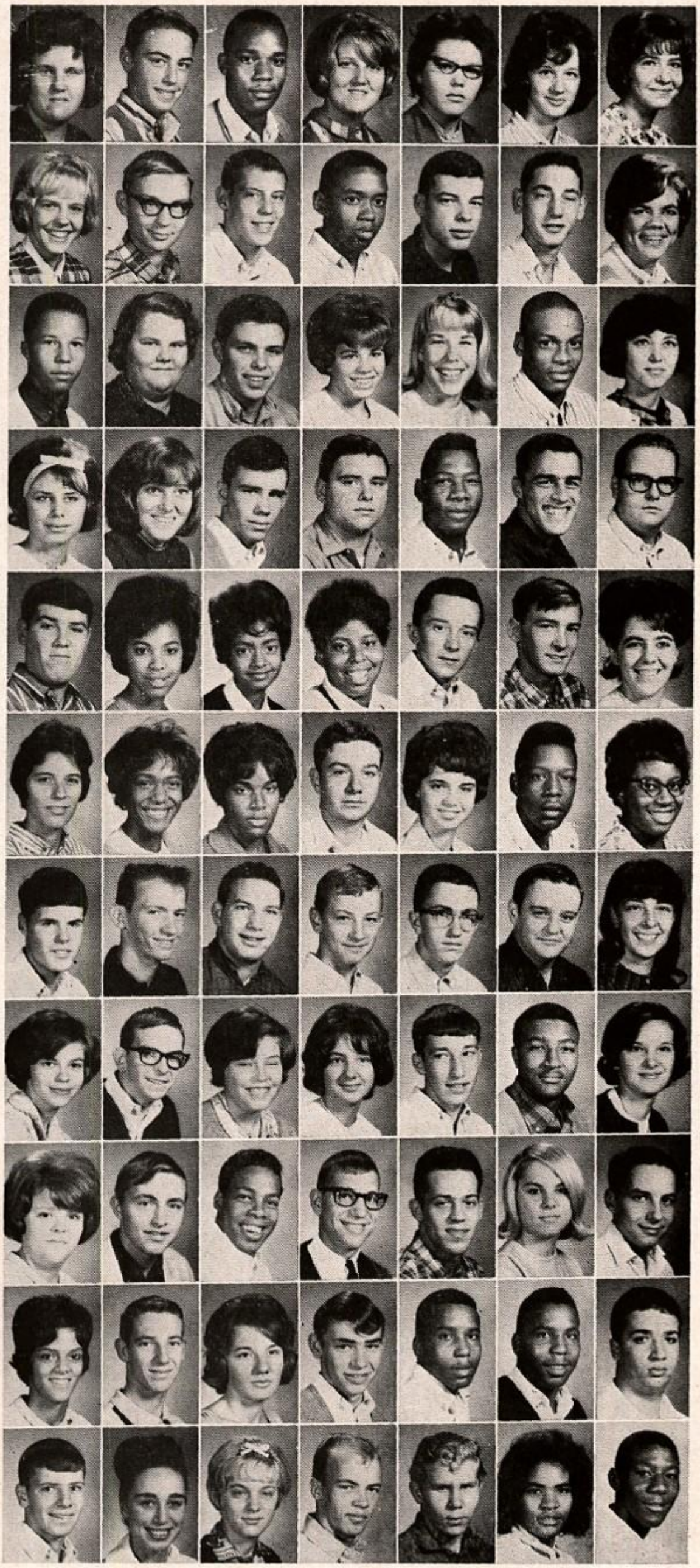
Row 8 — Peggy Johnson, Robyn Johnson, Kaye Jones, Loretta Marie Jones, Ronald Jones, Sara Jones, Sharon Jones.

Row 9 — Dick Kauffman, Marchita Kelsor, Rodney Kidd, Barbara Kilgore, Donna Killen, William Killin, Albert Kincaid.

Row 10 — Susan Kincaid, Gloria Kinder, Deanna Kirby, Bill Kirkpatrick, Susan Kitchen, Irene Kleinas, Lee Knepshield.

Row 11 — Jack Kramer, Darlene Kyles, David Lambert, Roger Lambert, Charles Lane, Ronnie Larison, Terrace Latimore.





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Row 1 — Debbie Lawson, Ted Leach, Claudy Lee, Wanda Lee, Jeannette Lesser, Linda Sharon Lewis, Lynda Sue Lewis.

Row 2 — Patti Lewis, Tom Lewis, Lenix Lindon, James Lindsay, Tim Lindsay, Tom Lindsay, Cindy Linville.

Row 3 — Lamar Lipscomb, Linda Long, Mike Long, Virginia Long, Nancy Lorig, Bobby Joe Love, Lynda Lowe.

Row 4 — Cynthia Lowery, Karen Luecking, Jerry Lykins, James Lynch, Charles Mack, John Mail, Ed Malott.

Row 5 — Clarence Manns, Claudia Marshall, Henrietta Marshall, Iva Marshall, Jerran Marshall, Jerry Martin, Karyn Martin.

Row 6 — Linda Martin, Juanita Massie, Dolores Matthers, Russell Maurice, Brenda Mays, James Mays, Charlene Mayweather.

Row 7 — Bill McCall, Robert McCarty, Larry McClain, David McClanahan, Pat McDermott, James McFillen, Debbie McGill.

Row 8 — Cathy McGonigle, Kerry McGraw, Wendy McGuire, Vivian McIntosh, Paul McKee, Henry McKinney, Rita McLaughlin.

Row 9 — Sandra McMullen, Mike McNeice, Louis Stephen Meadows, John Medley, Don Melton, Debbie Mettler, Sandy Meyer.

Row 10 — Glenna Miller, Gordon Miller, Sharon Lynn Miller, Steve Miller, Ted Million, Timmy Million, Jim Milton.

Row 11 — David Minor, Andrea Mittenholzer, Sharon Mize, Alfred Moore, Jim Moore, Katherine Moore, Lafayette Moore.

JUNIORS

Row 1 — Mary Moore, Paul Moore, Pauline Moore, Larry Morris, Sandy Mull, Kathy Myers, Don Neal.

Row 2 — Elaine Neel, Sandra Neff, Sam Nelson, Steve Nelson, Bruce Nerenberg, Tim Newcomb, Laurie Newton.

Row 3 — Jeff Nickell, Judy Nickell, Karyn Nickell, Paula Noblet, Karen Nunamaker, Sherry Osborne, Don Oswalt.

Row 4 — Evelyn Ousley, James Ousley, Diana Paine, Paula Parsons, Sylvia Pate, Debbie Patton, Greg Patrick.

Row 5 — Gail Peak, Betty Peck, Joe Peck, Leslie Peck, Helen Peebles, John Peebles, Alice Perdue.

Row 6 — Larry Pergram, Wade Bob Pergram, James Dan'el Perry, Ken Perry, Ruby Perry, Bernie Petereit, Gladys Phillips.

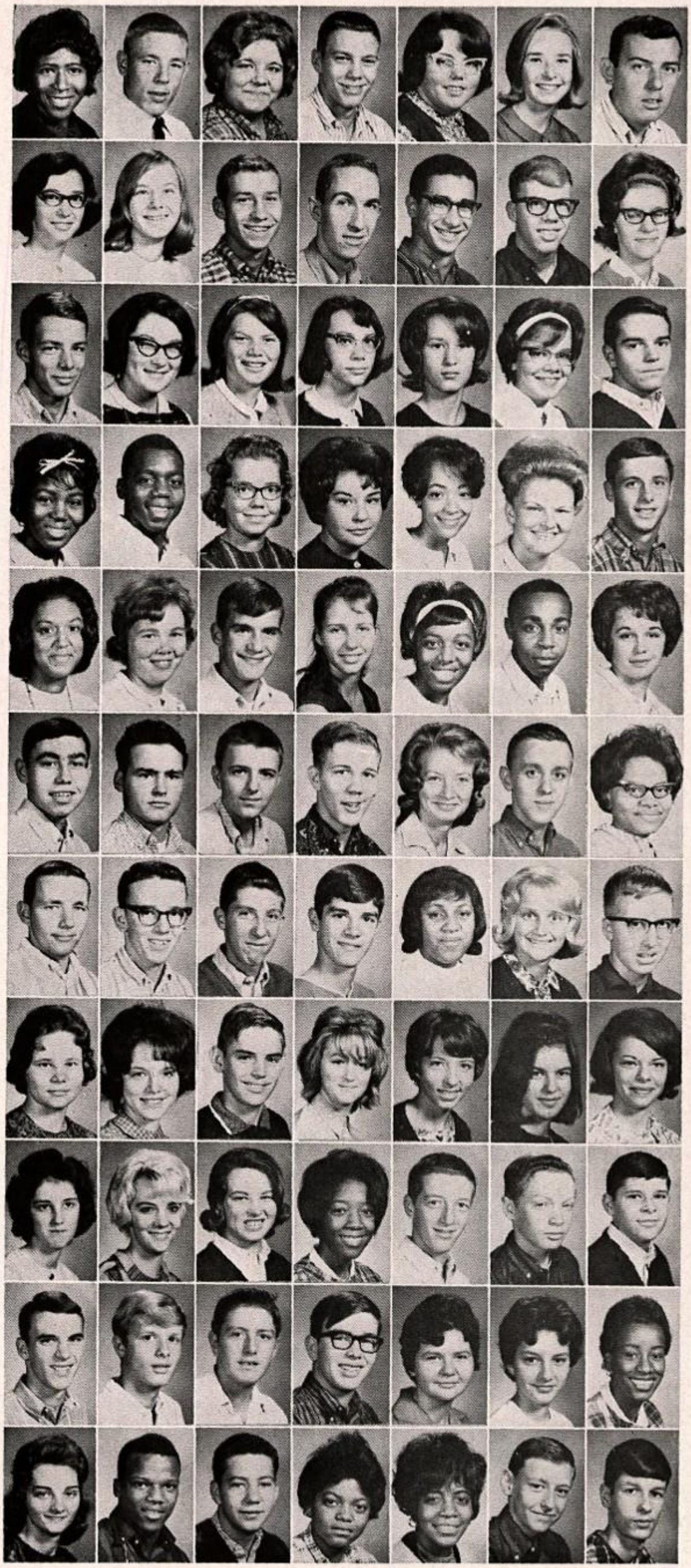
Row 7 — Danny Philpot, Tom Pieratt, Mike James Plumbo, Mike Joseph Plumbo, Celestine Polley, Jo Ann Presley, Garry Price.

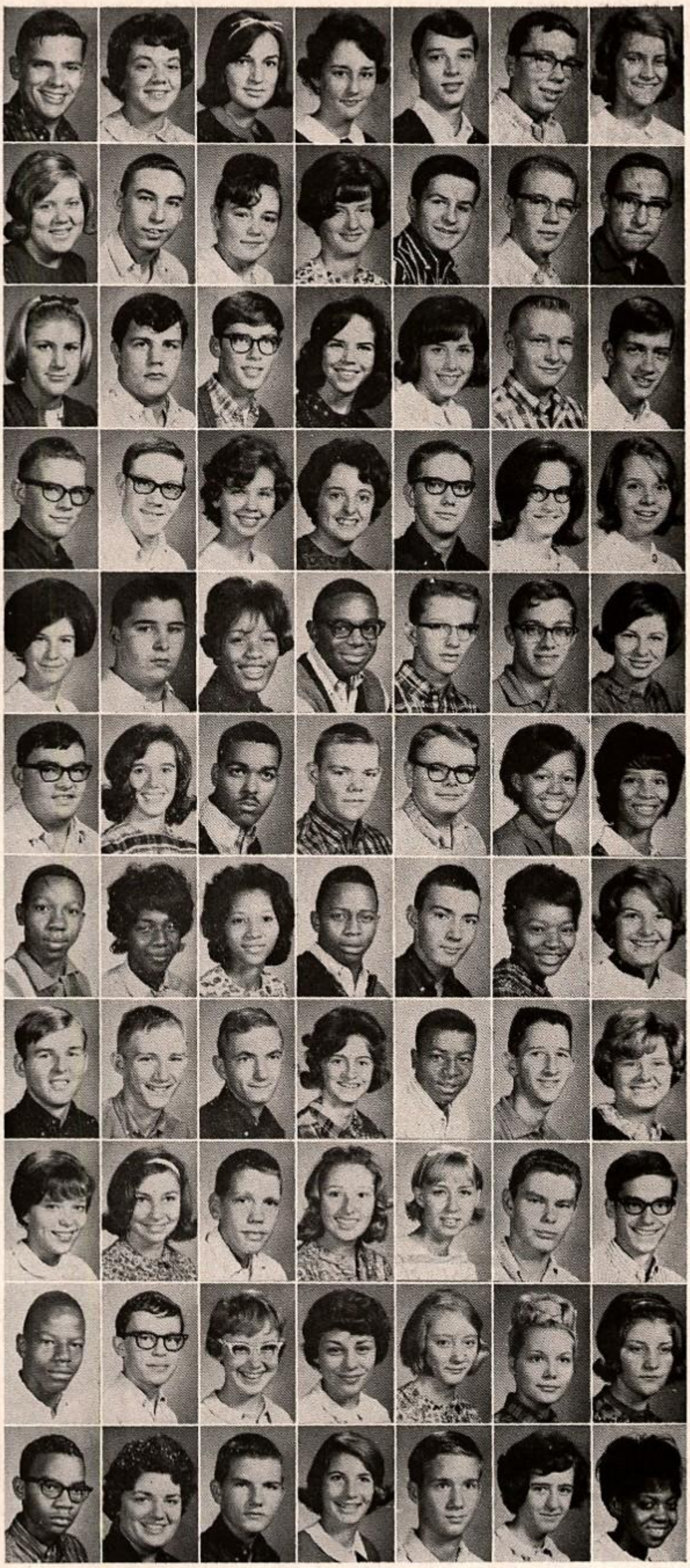
Row 8 — Gilda Pridemore, Barbara Profitt, Steve Pugh, Linda Rachford, Evelyn Radabaugh, Nancy Raine, Beverly Ratcliff.

Row 9 — Brenda Sue Ratliff, Cathy Ratliff, Tanna Ratliffe, Sharon Rawls, John Reed, Mark Reed, Kent Reedy.

Row 10 — Rick Reffitt, John Regensburg, Terry Reichenback, David Rekers, Brenda Lee Rhea, Linda Riley, Myra Ringer.

Row 11 — Janice Risner, Dwight Roberts, Jerry Roberts, Patricia Robinson, Sandra Robinson, Eddie Romans, James Michael Ronto.





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Row 2 — Gloria Salley, Ronald Salyer, Donna Saylor, Dorothy Scearse, Billy Schenck, Steve Schnedler, Dean Schneider.

Row 3 — Leah Schneider, Michael Schwab, David Sebastian, Linda Sebastian, Phyllis Sebastian, Steve Sehorne, Bob Selby.

Row 4 — David Senften, Richard Shaffer, Sue Ann Sharrett, Jackie Sheets, Doug Sherron, Lynn Shope, Pamela Shoupe.

Row 5 — Barbara Siegel, Jon Ray Sigler, Lillian Silas, Marvin Sims, Bob Skeens, John Skidmore, Sue Slagle.

Row 6 — Joe Slezak, Pam Sloan, Ronald Sloan, Danny Slusher, Larry Shyers, Debbie Smith, Iva Smith.

Row 7 — Jordan Smith, Karla Darlyce Smith, Lavina Smith, Ostell Smith, David Snelling, Cecelia Snow, Cindy Snyder.

Row 8 — Mike Sorrell, Tom Soule, Ken South, Patty South, Wilman Sparks, Robert Spicer, Gloria Mae Spies.

Row 9 — Debbie Stamper, Debbie Starkey, Fred Stephenson, Helen Stevens, Joyce Anne Stewart, Jim Stitt, Jim Stiver.

Row 10 — Bill Streeter, John David Stripling, Terri Sutz, Ruth Ellen Svarda, Carol Swisher, Shirley Taulbee, Sherri Taylor.

Row 11 — Rick Teasley, JoAnn Teater, Jim Terry, Melinda Terry, Dave Tewell, Kay Theodore, Barbara Thomas.

JUNIORS

Row 1 — Cheryl Thomas, Mary Louise Thomas, Jimmy Thompson, Rick Thompson, Linda Thornton, David Tibbs, William Tipton.

Row 2 — Terry Tolson, Gwen Travillo, Jane Travis, Lem Trotter, Rod True, Alan Trueblood, Sue Ellen Tucker.

Row 3 — Linda Turner, Betty Tutt, Steve Tutt, Donna Underwood, Lynn Unger, Nancy Urmston, Jatana Lee Vance.

Row 4 — Linda Van Gilder, Badonna Van Ostrand, Darrell Veal, Janet Velde, Eva Sue Vinson, Chris Voris, David Vowell.

Row 5 — Maria Vradelis, Lorraine Walker, Robert Walker, Marilyn Wallace, Perry Wallace, Doug Boyd Watson, Doug Darnell Watson.

Row 6 — Sue Watson, Dana Watts, Don Weidner, Krista Weir, Pete Weitzenkorn, Connie Wells, Dixie Wells.

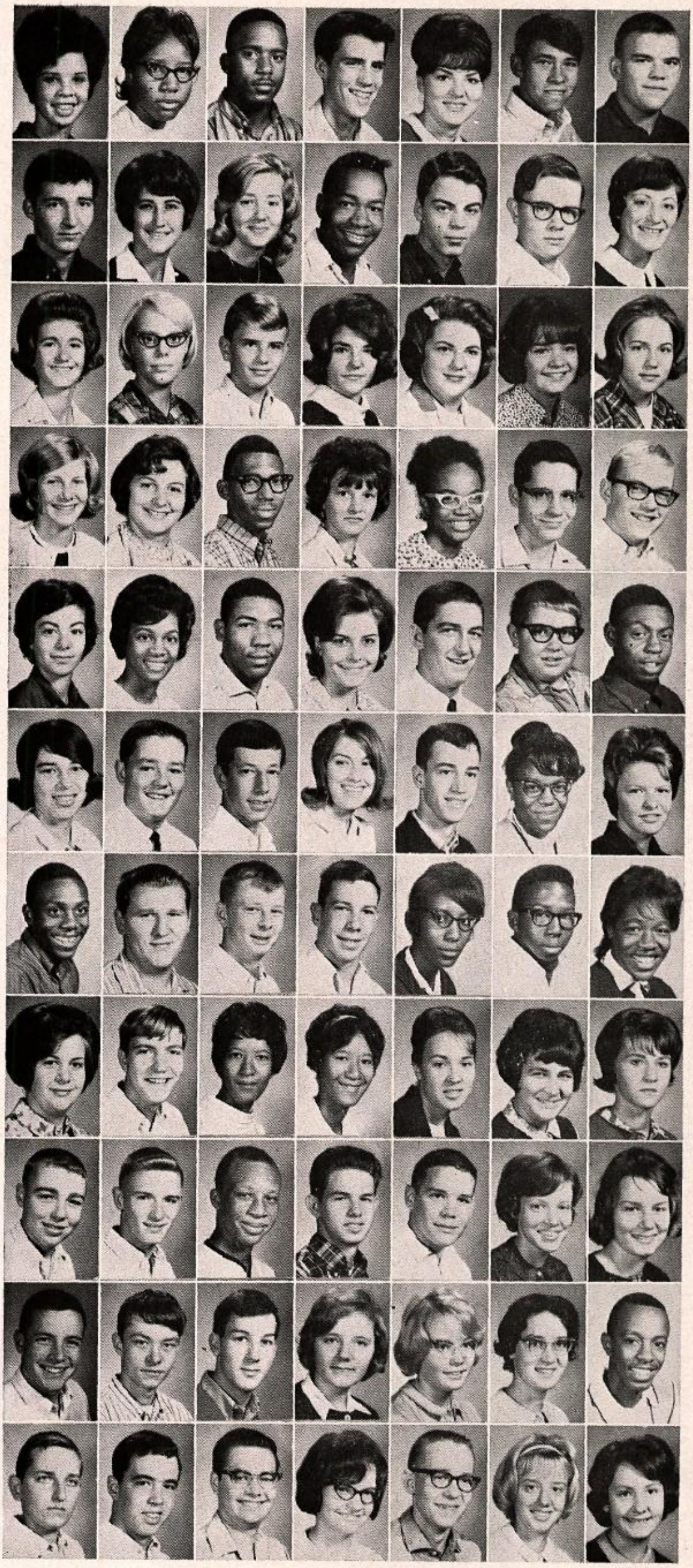
Row 7 — Horace Wells, Michael Wenzel, Bob West, John Whitehurst, Frances Wiggins, Daniel Wilhight, Anita Williams.

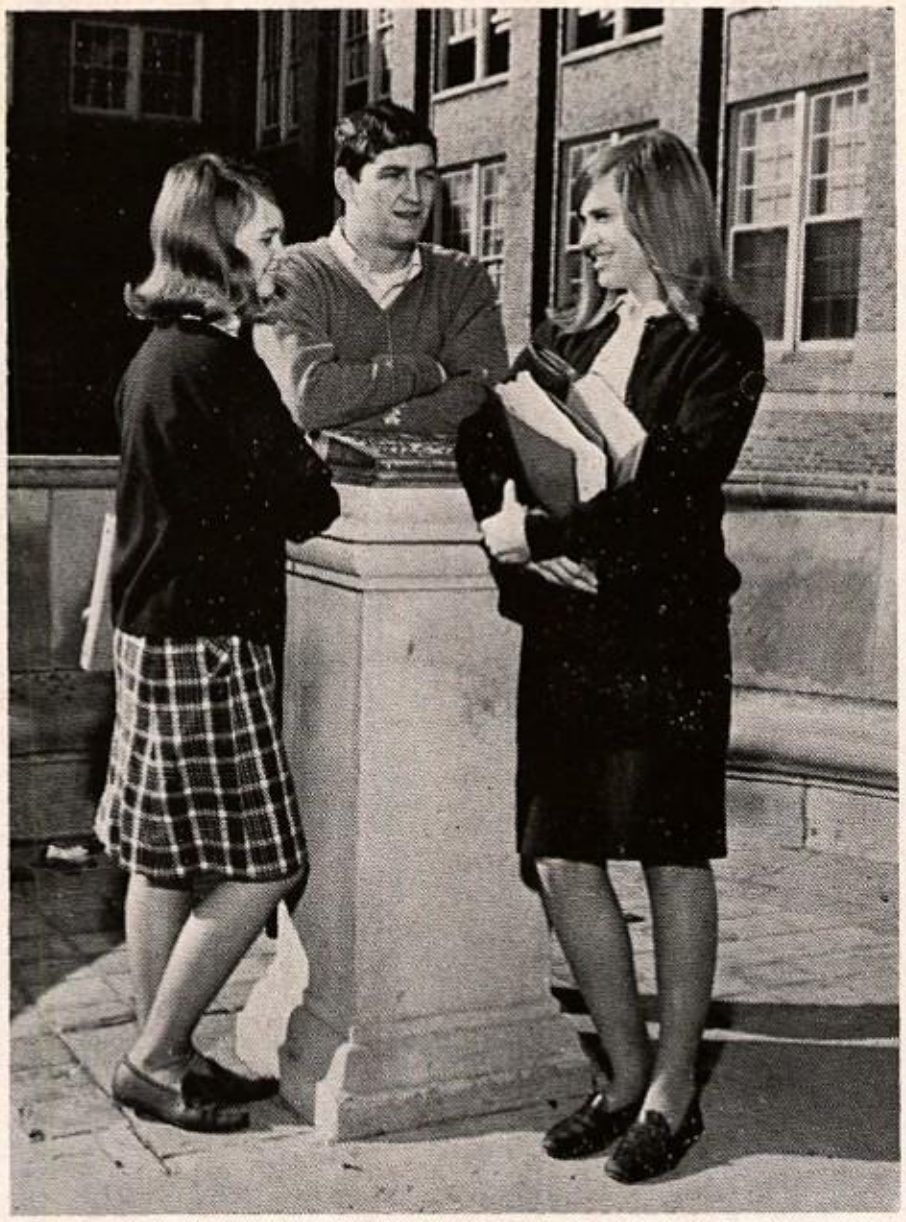
Row 8 — Carol Williams, Don Williams, Eileen Williams, Irene Williams, Linda Williams, Susan Williams, Connie Williamson.

Row 9 — Tom Willis, Terry Wills, Dwight Wilson, Gary Wilson, Kim Winget, Naomi Wise, Lynne Withey.

Row 10 — Dave Wittman, Greg Womack, David Wood, Mary Wood, Terry Wood, Sue Ellen Wooton, Vern Wright.

Row 11 — Tom Wrights, Steve Wyatt, Mike Yeary, Carol York, Bob Zapp, Lana Zickgraf, Elizabeth Zornes.





Debbie Clark, Perry Wallace, and Kay Brumagen take a break between classes.

Jerry Lykins and Rod True discover that lockers can be troublesome.

Bev Ikenberry and Judy Danner show David Vowell how a gentleman should act.

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Melvin Jestice appears to be confused as both Betsy Geckeler and Jennie Estill show him the right way to the first floor.

Ford Martin gets an earful as Mary Apgar, Pam Miller, and Candy Walton exchange secrets.

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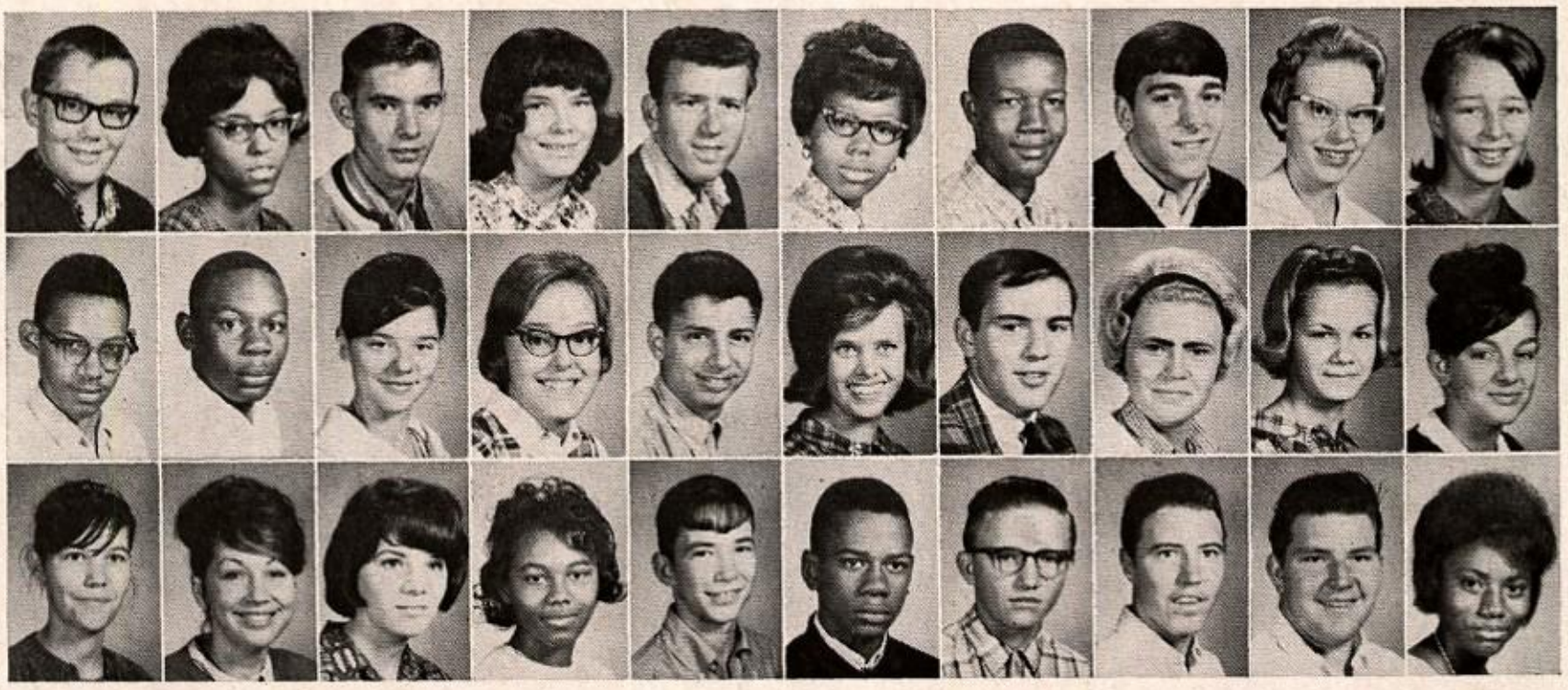

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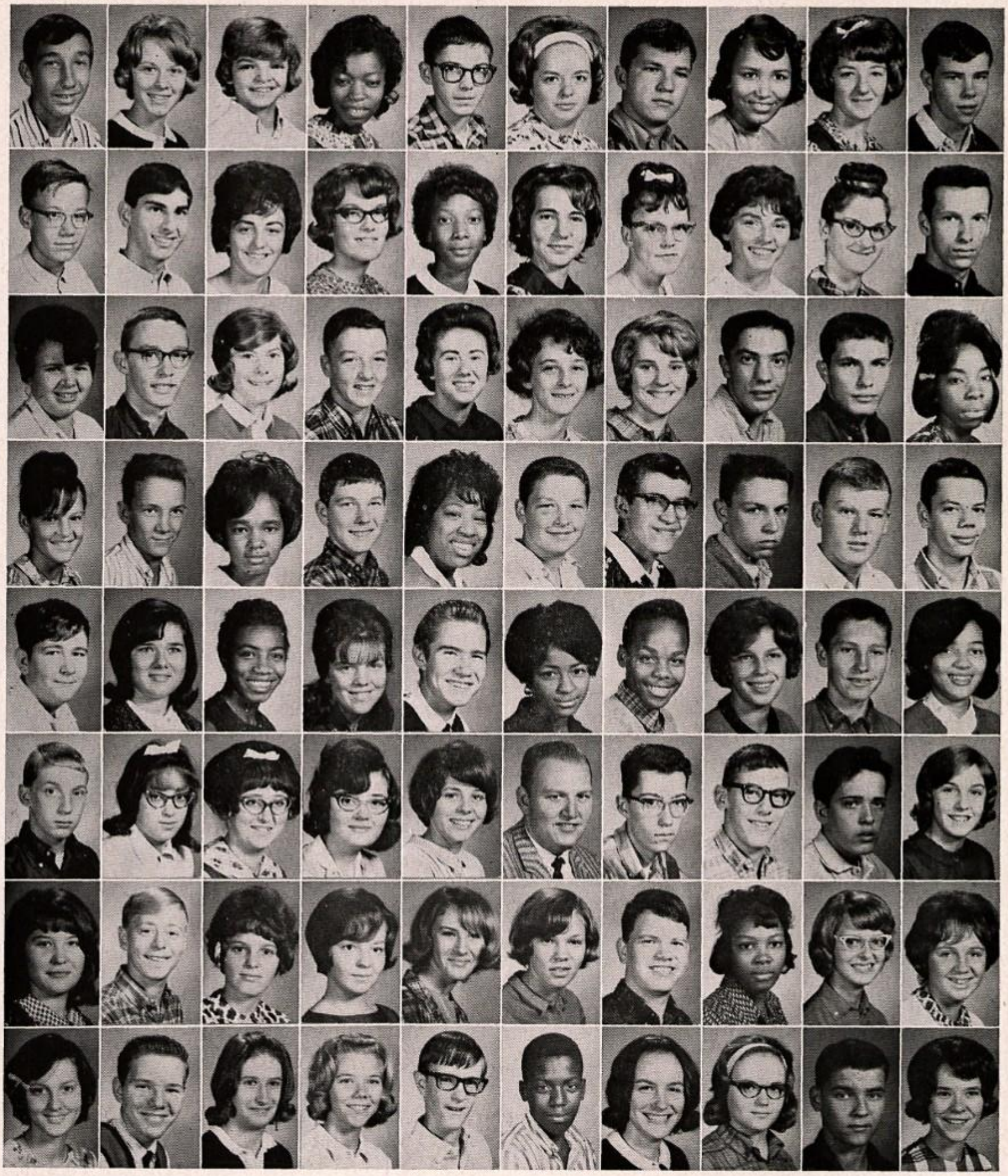

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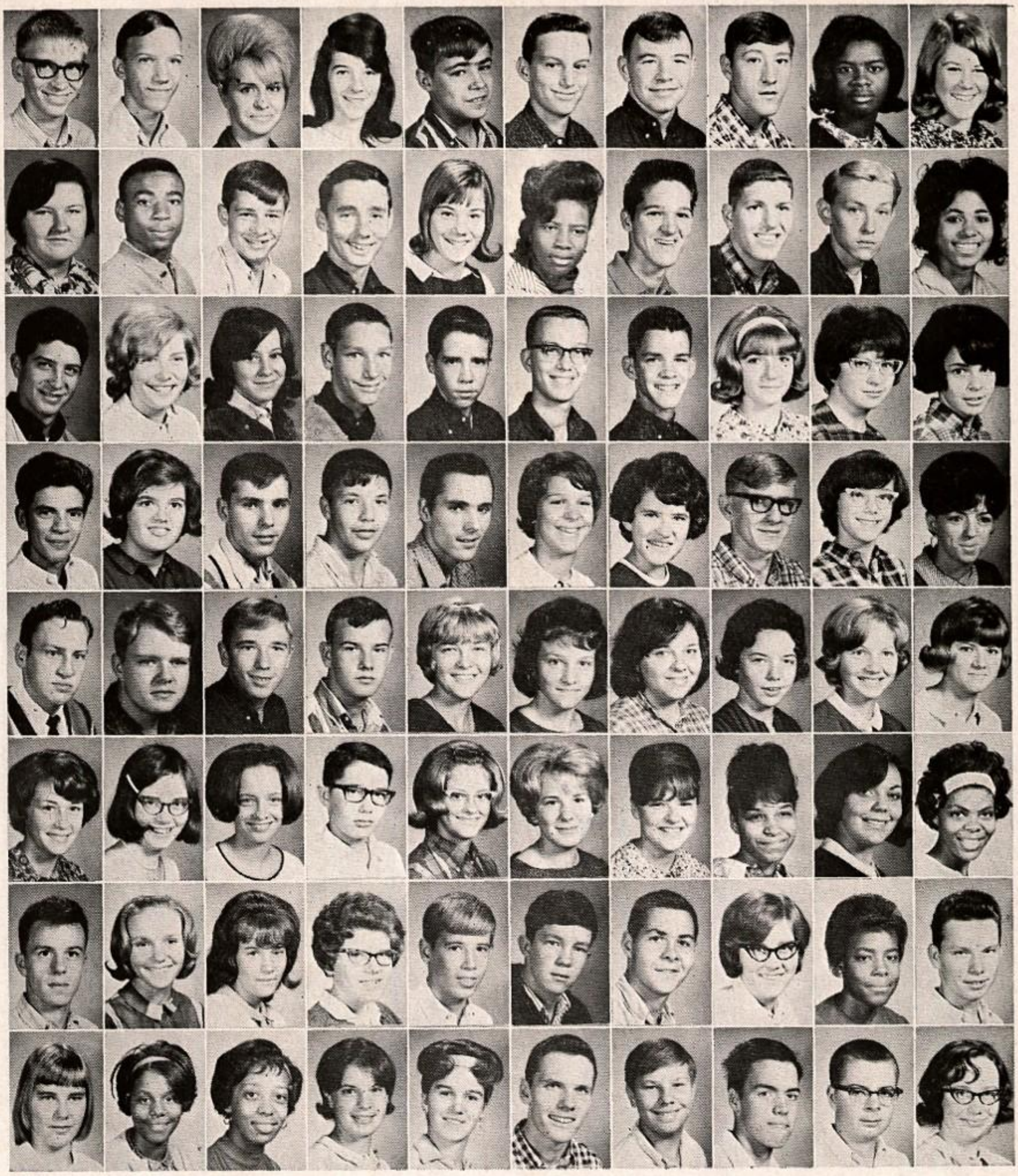

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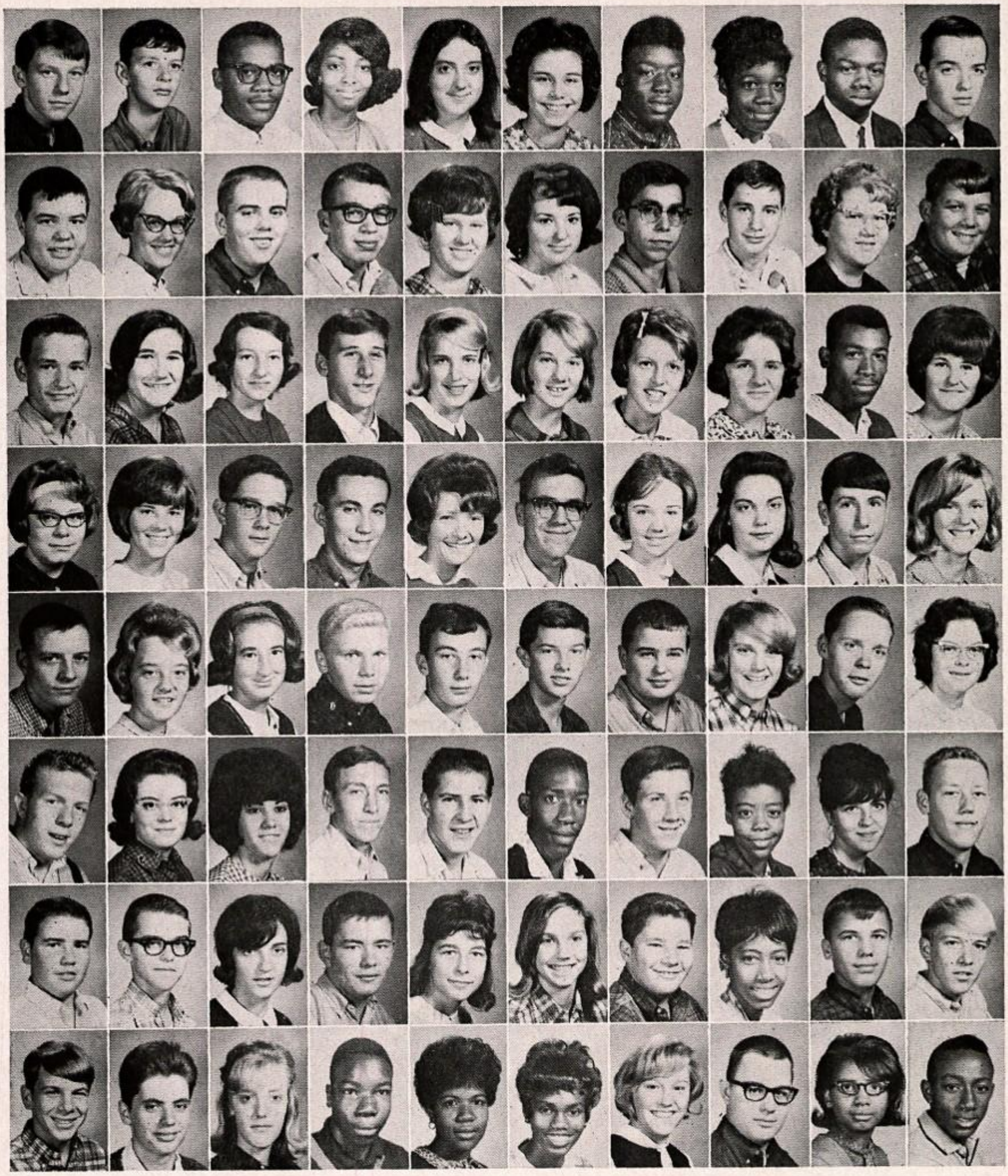

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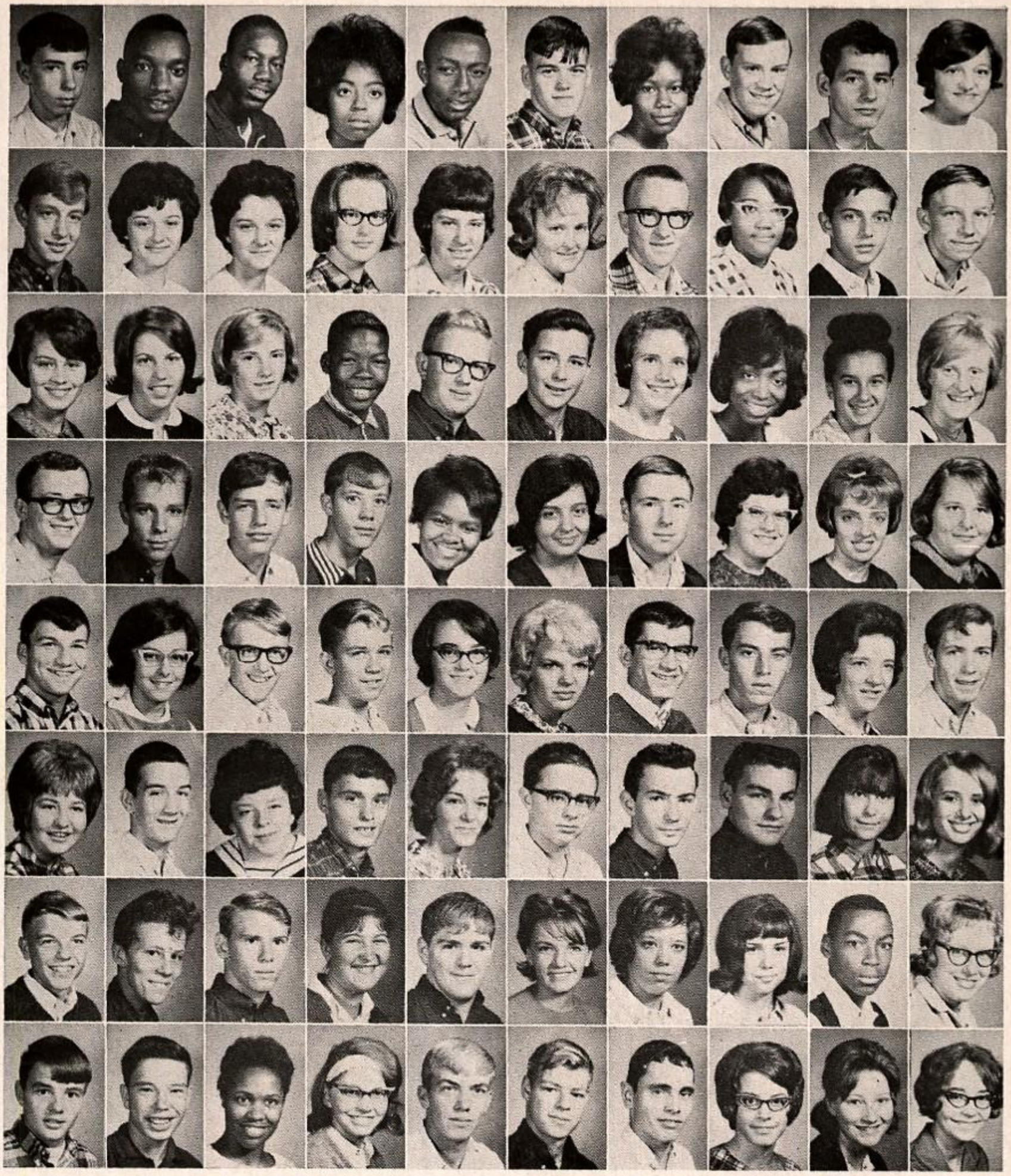

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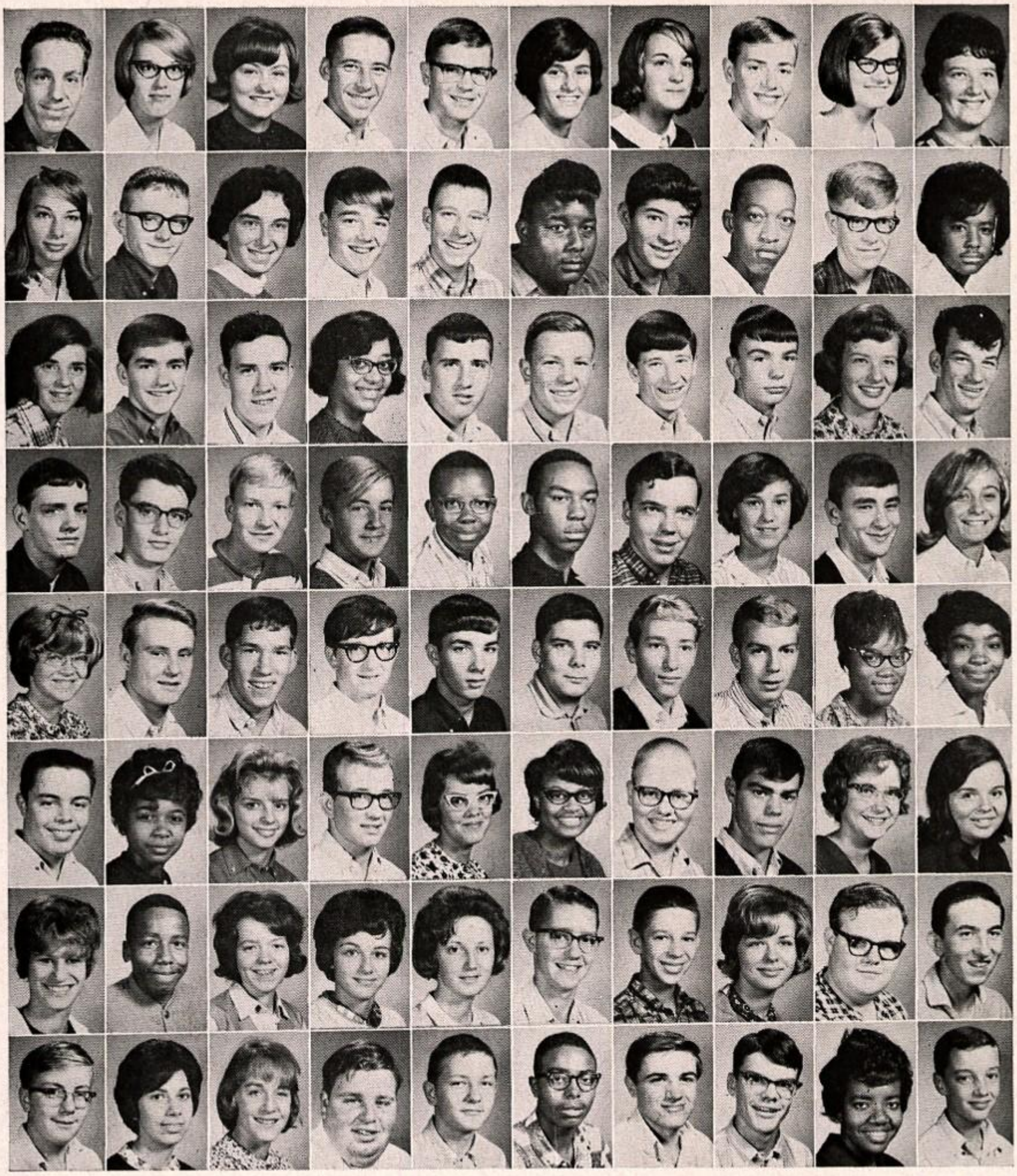

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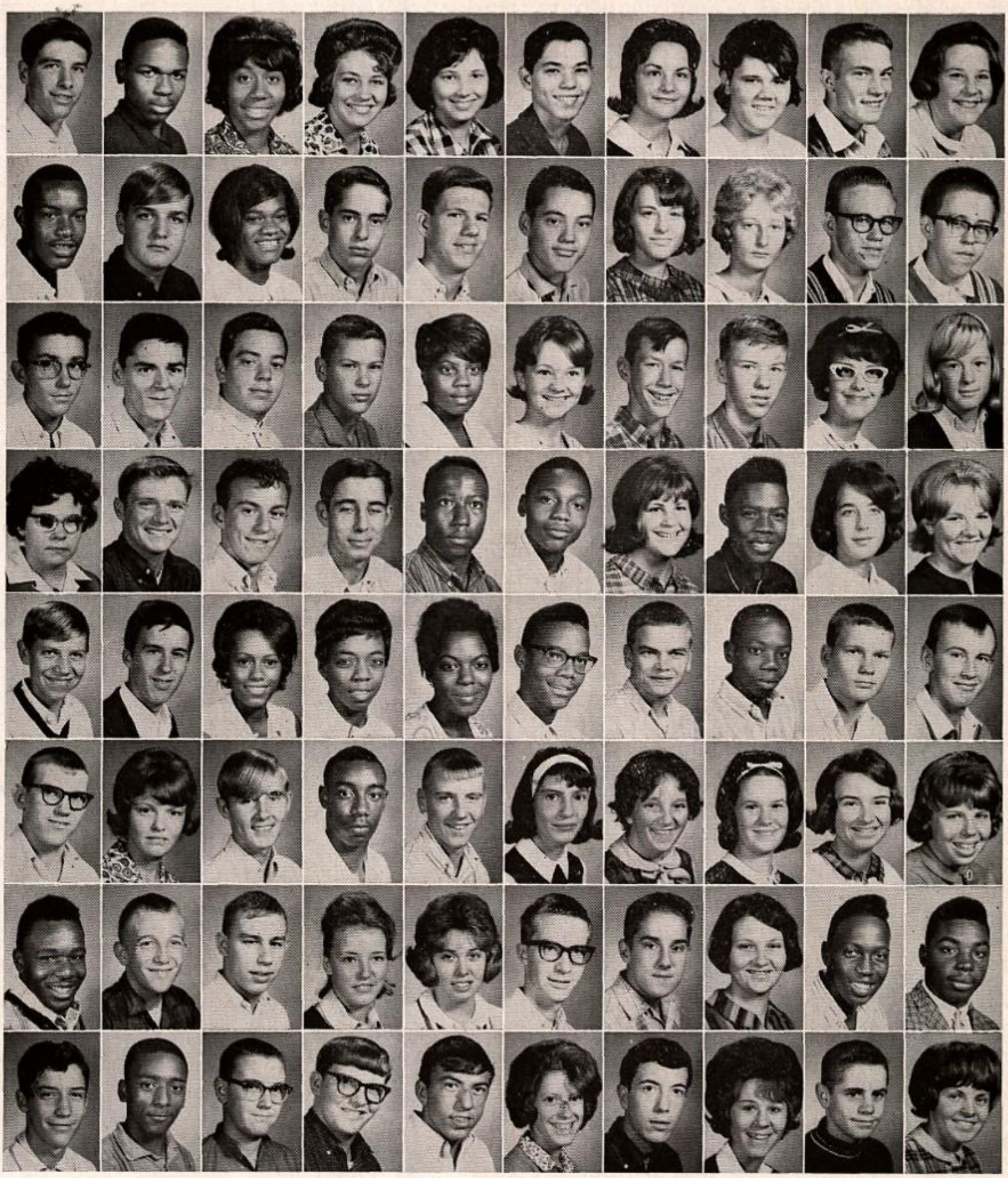

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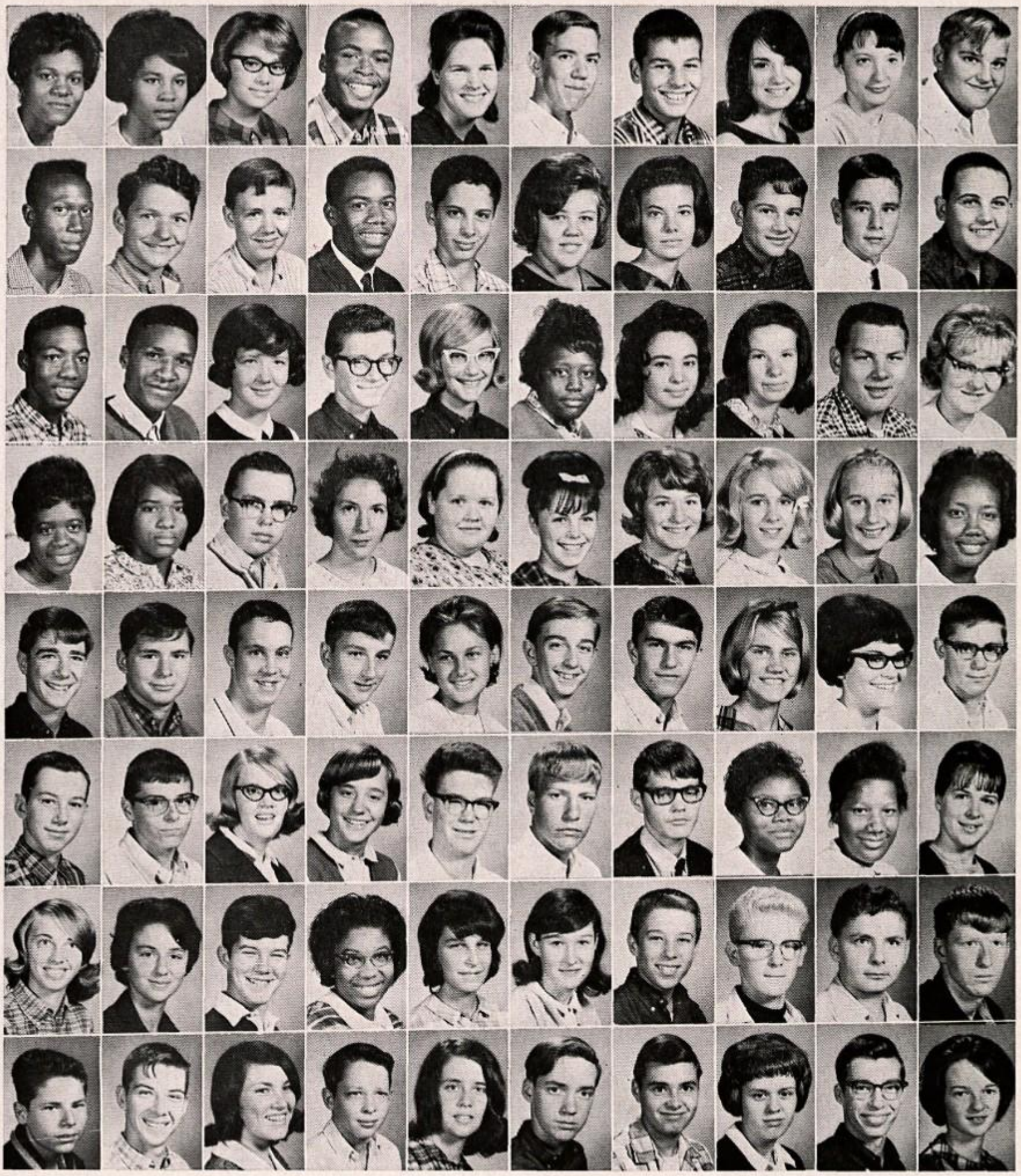

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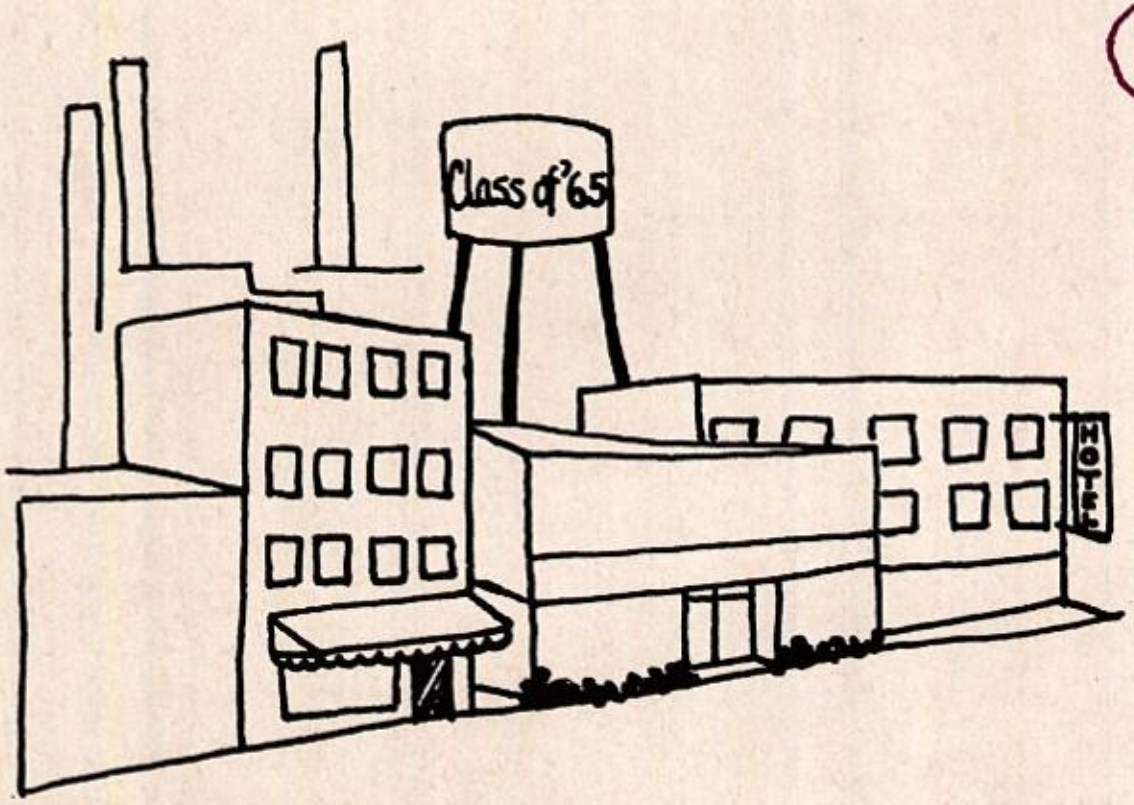

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Second Honor for Boys—
$10.00 ..... George Albyn Davis

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$10.00 and Plaque ..... Nancy Louise Coburn

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$10.00 ..... Richard Thomas Palmer
Third Honor (The Middletown Post 218 Award)
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$10.00 ..... Anne Swisher
Second Honor—$5.00 ..... Janet Adele Newby

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$2.50 ..... Janet Marie Robinson

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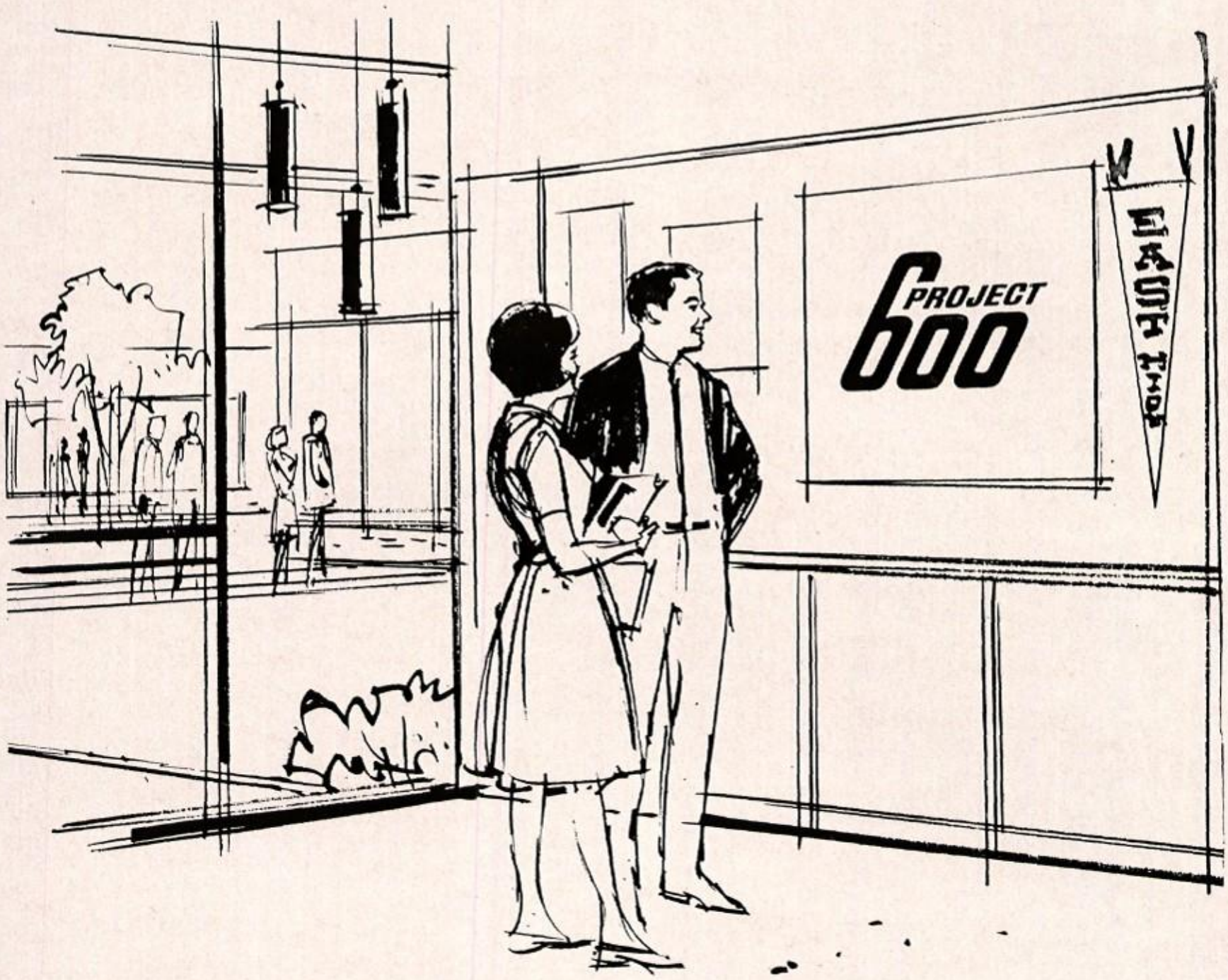

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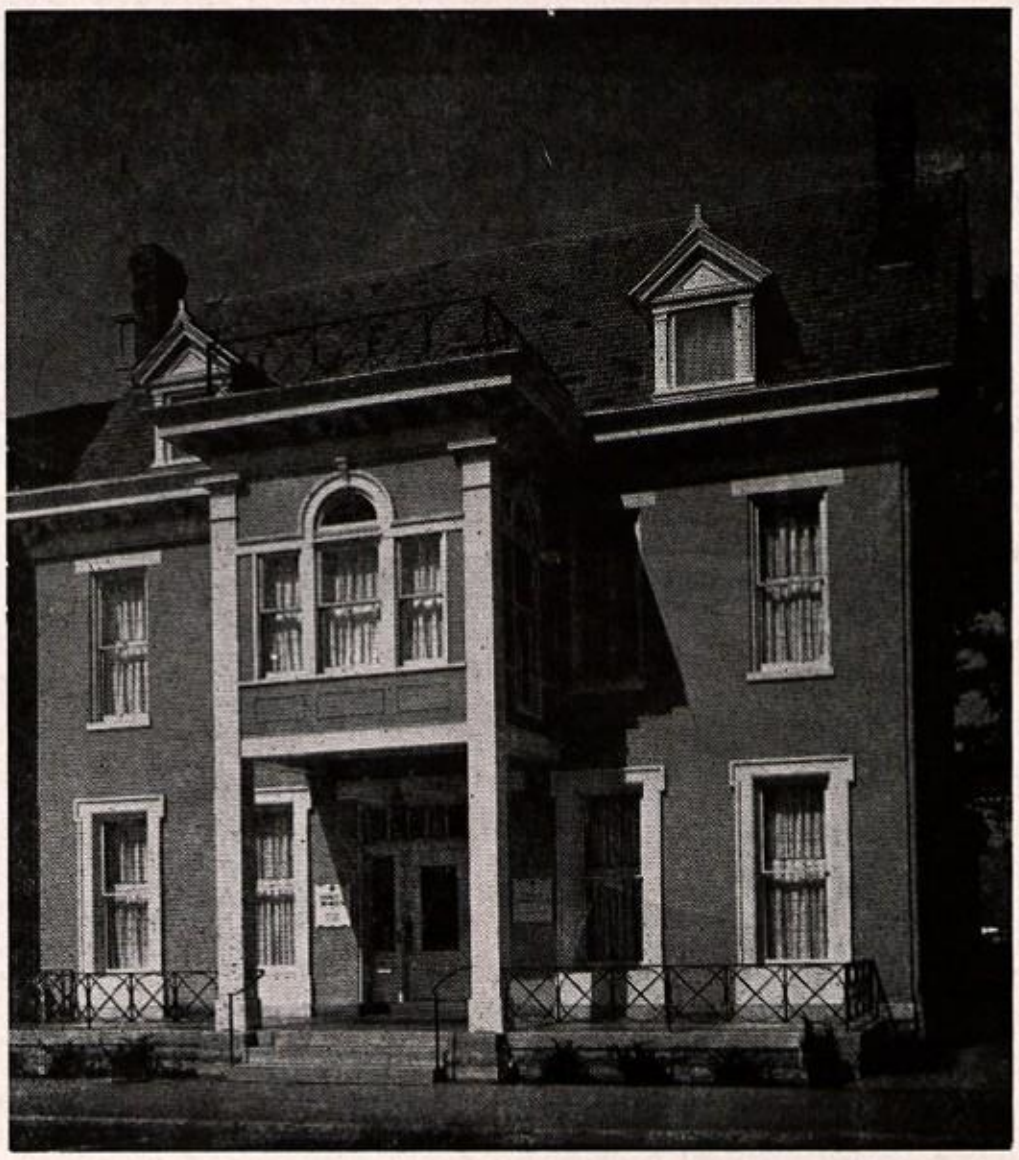

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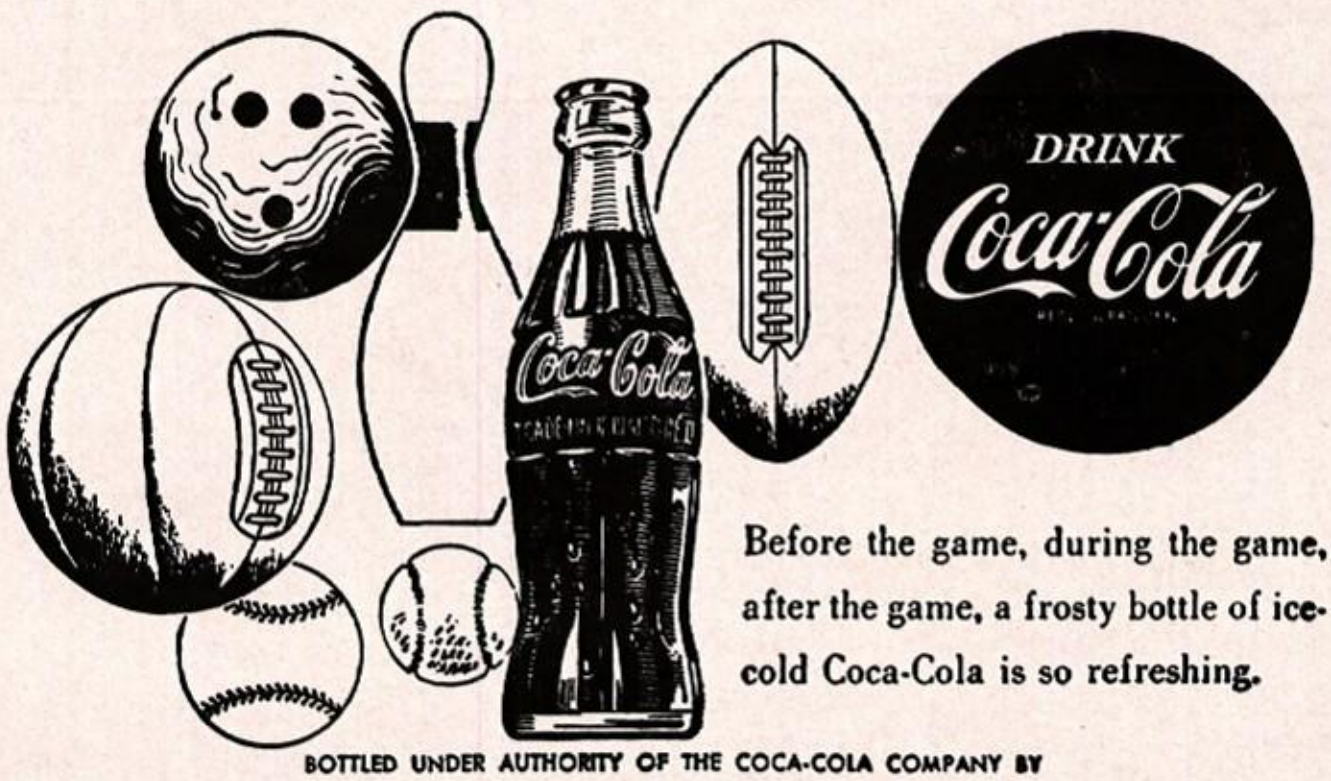

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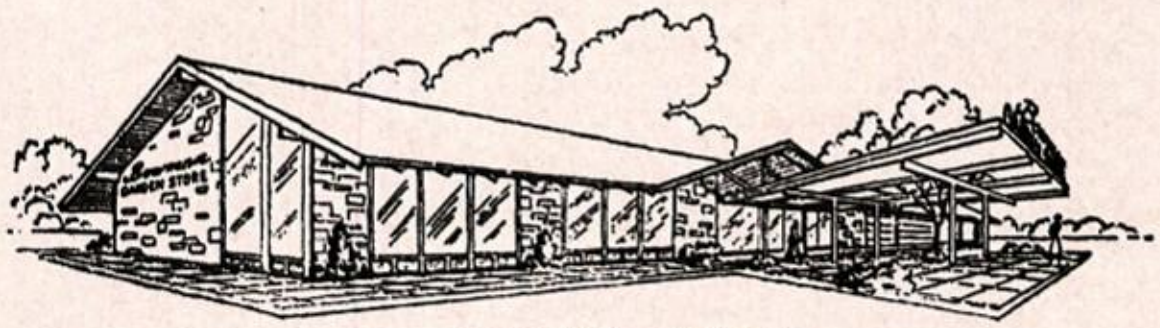

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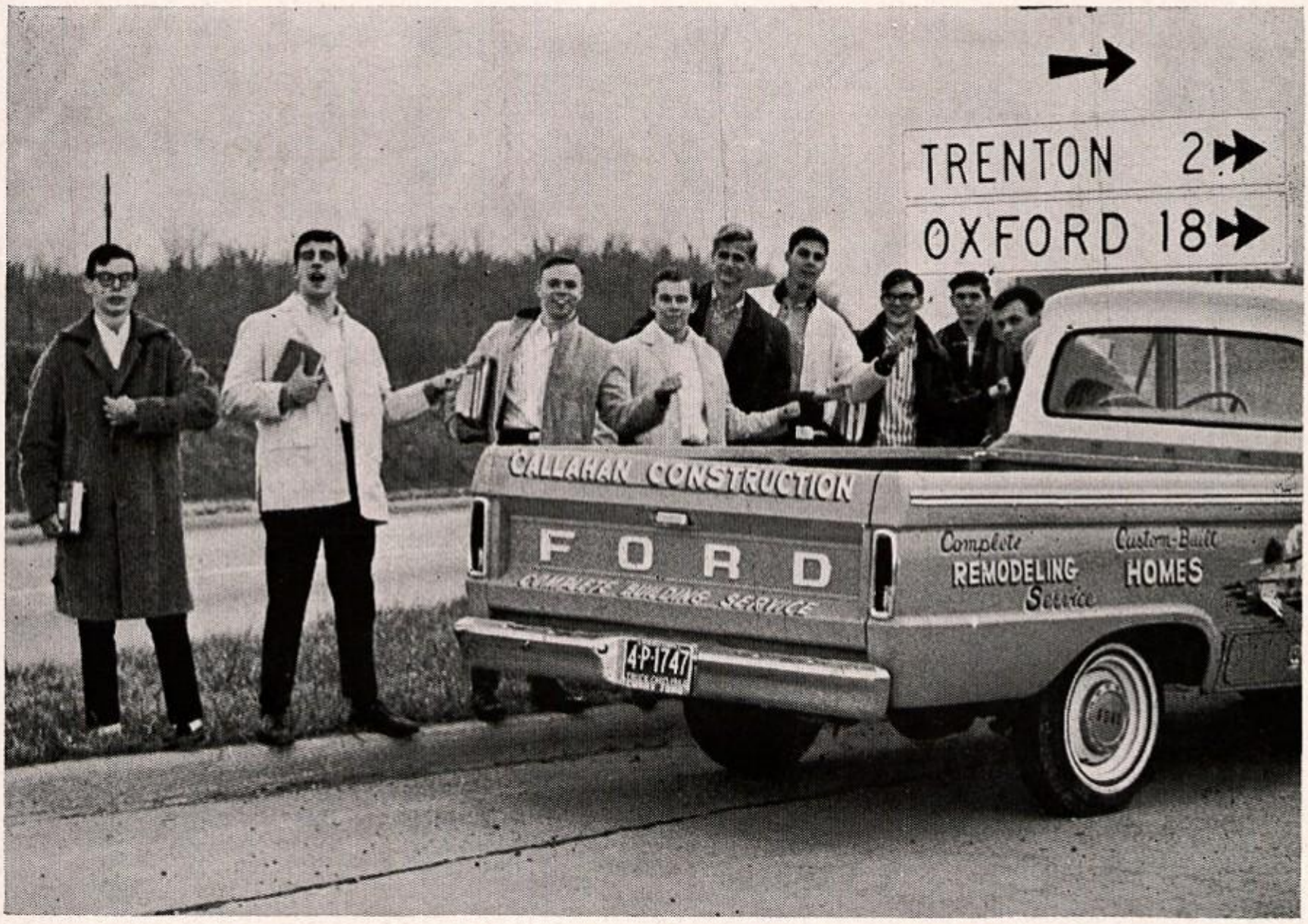

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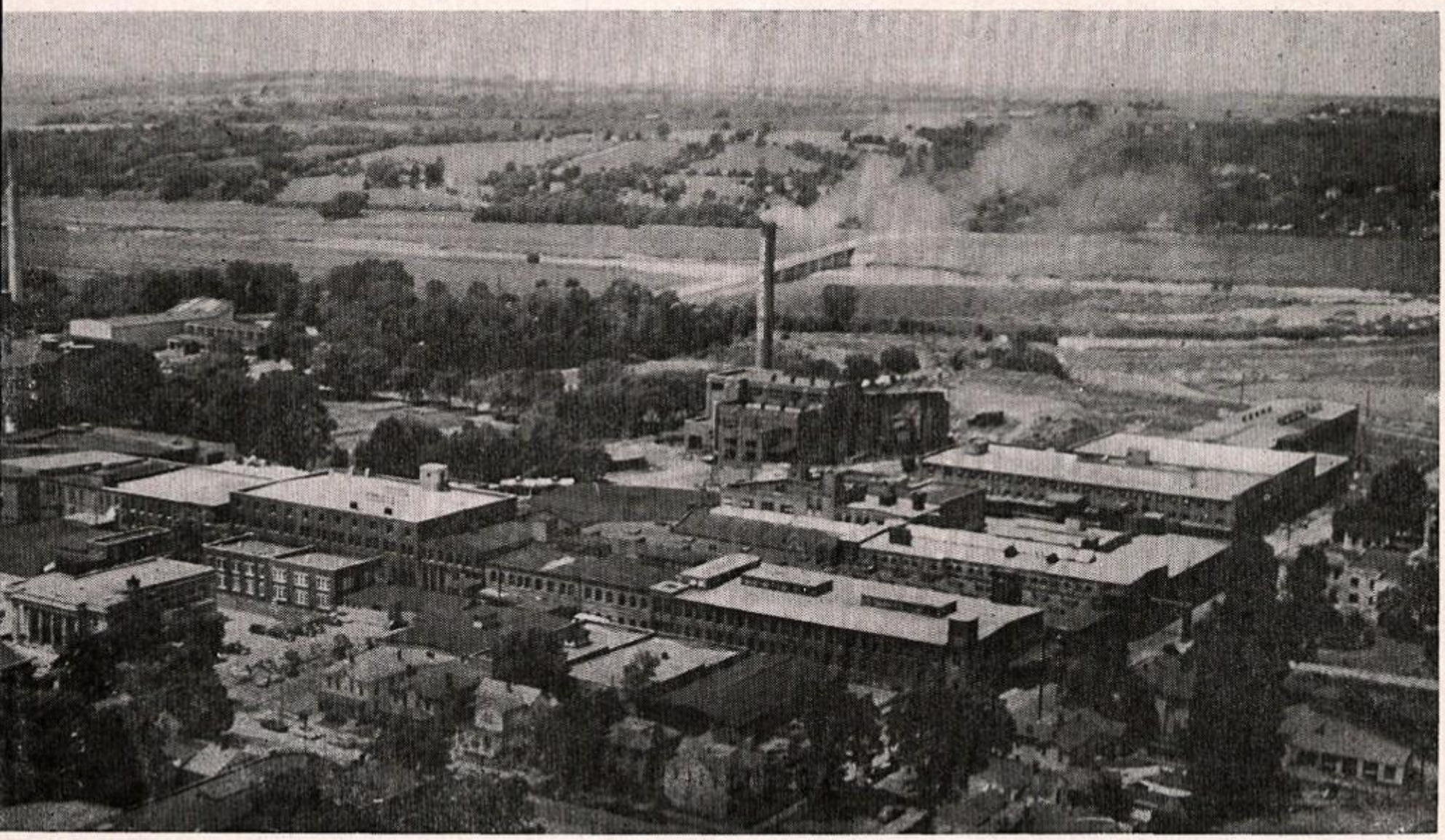

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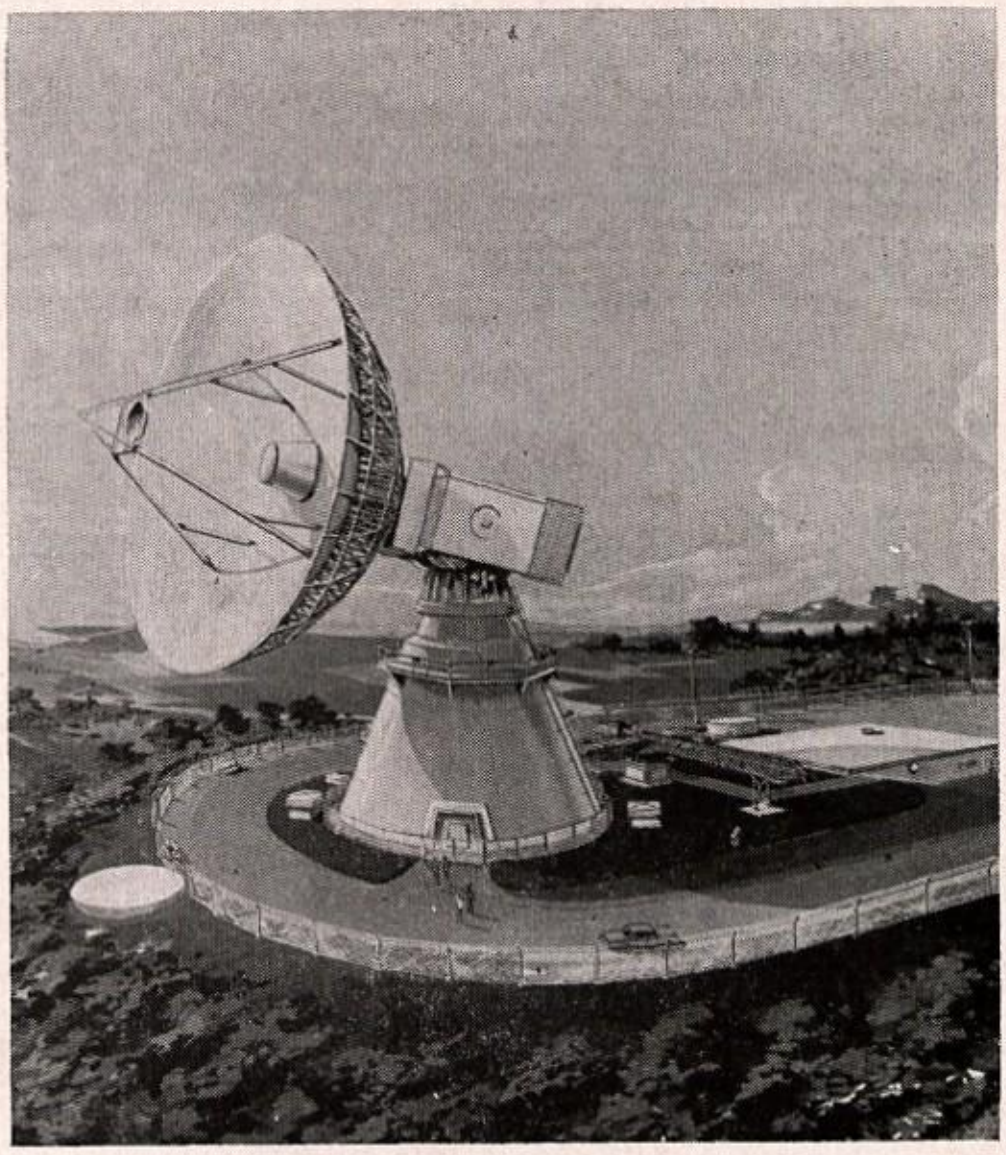

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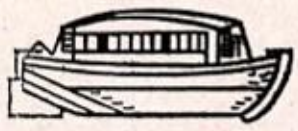

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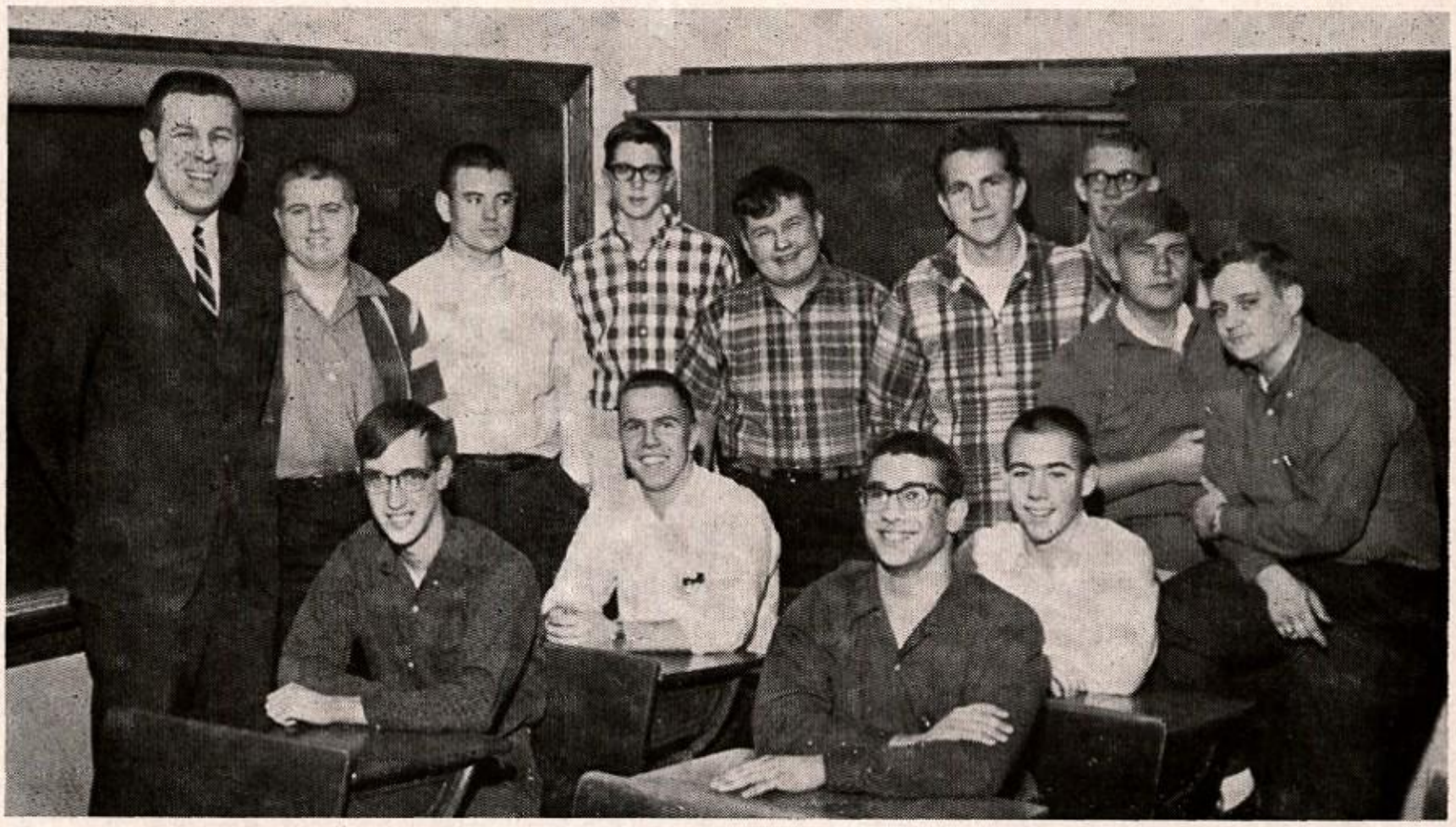

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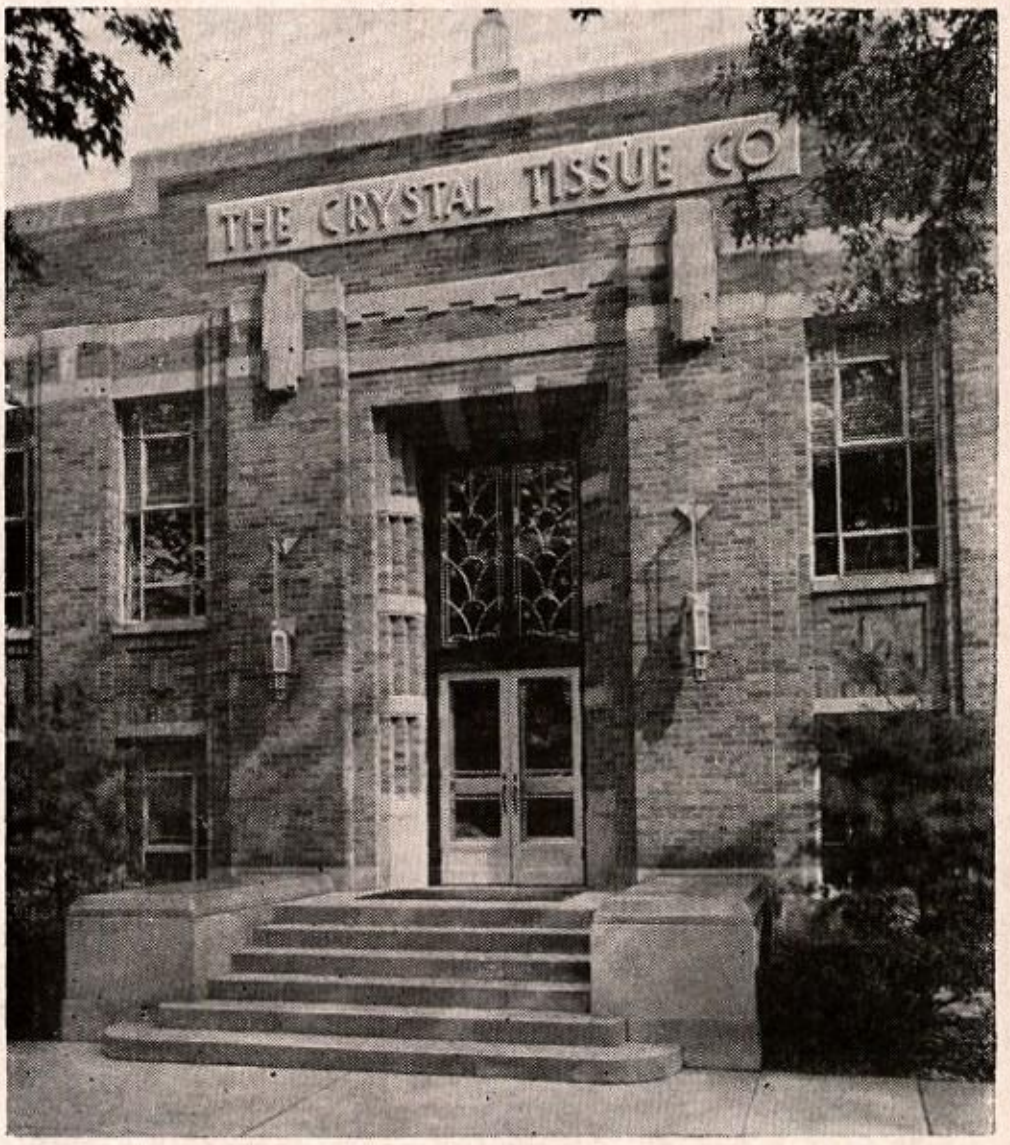

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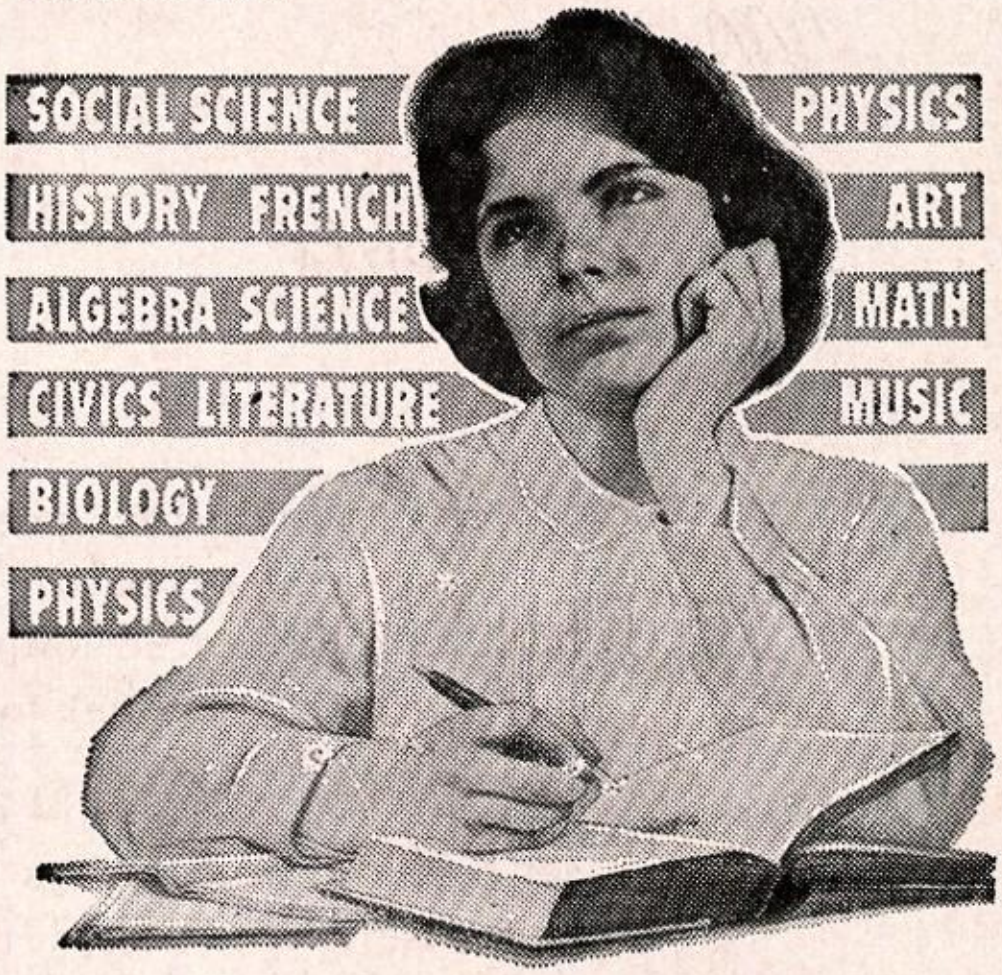

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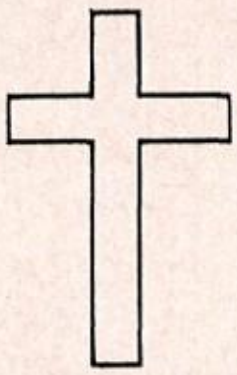

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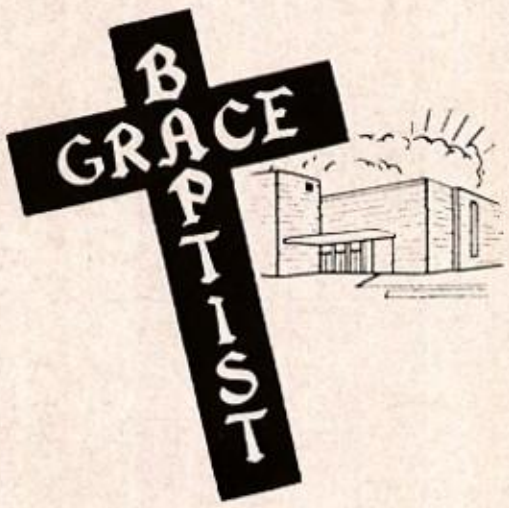

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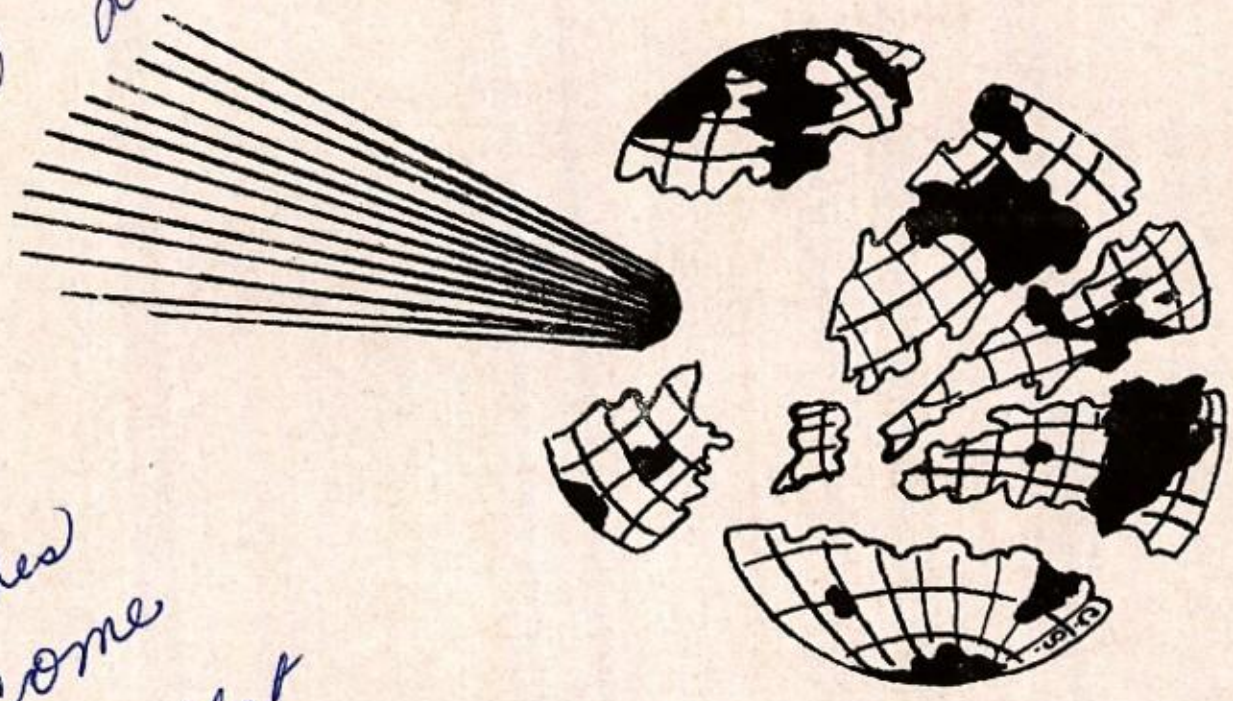

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A real nice girl
in Govt + Econ. Class.
Good luck in all you
do and have a nice
wedding. Daley Schuler

Ina: I should
guess I should read
your something but since
it's not quite
spectacular, I'll to do. I'm
not sure how hard then I can.
you are a may that
night and shine
and your upon
that your brain
you might
feel a bit
something that
I'll your
tweet

Ina
I did
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Ina,

Do you believe we made it through these unbelievable classes? I don't. Good luck with Bob, and I hope you'll always be happy.

Peggy Efker

Ina,

You're a real cool and exact girl that I have known since jr. high. You are a real great persan. Bob is a great guy (at least he was when I knew him). I hope you two are happy together.

Love ya,
marsh
Comus

Ina,

Well, its almost over. I wish you lot of luck in all you do. I know you and Bob will get along fine.

Sandy Kilbur

"Once upon a time, there lived a very beautiful princess who was known throughout the land for her beauty. Many princes came to court her, but she refused them all. Finally, a prince came who was not handsome, but he was very rich. The princess married him."

Ana,
Do à demain
nuit! Hope I never
see you again (fake)
I've had a lot of
fun with you. Thanks
for feeding me. Hope
I can come to your
wedding. Love
Laughter
Angie

Dna,

A real cool girl who I have had lots of fun with. I guess I'll being seeing lots more of you this summer down at Black Clawson. don't make any mistakes down there in Accounting and cause me company As go Bankrupt! Good luck in everything and especially with your marriage! I hope everything works out for you and Bob!

Love,
Karen Begley